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## Women Unite in Prayer for Missions

Day of Prayer Observed All Over Continent—Women of Stirling Gathered in Methodist Church

There was about thirty women at the Methodist Church on Friday to unite with their Sisters all over North America in the Women's Day of Prayer for Missions. Intercession was made for spiritual quickening of the Church and the power of the Spirit in Service, for all ministers, office-bearers and members; for Missions and Missionaries; for parents, children and young people; for the homeless and destitute; for all who teach and all who learn; for home and school relationships; for colleges and universities; for the Canadian School of Missions and all schools of Missionary reputation and for those who influence public opinion. In prayers for King, Country and Empire, supplications were offered for all in authority who make and execute law, for a deep sense of personal responsibility involved in citizenship, and for deliverance from intemperance and attendant evils, and for Social and National purity and honor. The League of Nations and Students Christian Movements, and strangers and migrants were remembered in the prayers for international relationship and world fellowship as well as influences and movements that tend to bring good will and friendship among the Nations.

The ladies who took part in these prayers were: Mrs. C. W. Barrett, Mrs. A. Bissonnette, Mrs. G. Richards, Mrs. F. G. Joblin, Miss May Currie, Mrs. J. Stout, Mrs. H. Cook, Mrs. H. Rodgers, Mrs. McCutcheon.

Mrs. G. Luery gave the Scripture Reading, Rev. 21:1-5 and 22:27 and Responsive Reading of Psalm 51:1-11.

Mrs. H. Roberts gave a solo, "There is always answer to Prayer" and Mrs. A. Donnell a talk on "Going the Second Mile". Suitable hymns were sung at intervals and the Service closed with a general thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer.

## Burnbrae News

(Last week's news)

The W. M. S. held the regular monthly meeting at the home of one of their Home Helpers, Mrs. Thos. Oddie with twenty ladies present. Some of our Methodist workers were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson spent the week end at Warkworth visiting their uncle, Mr. Archie Thompson who had paralytic stroke a few weeks ago and is improving very slowly.

Lots of rain these days will surely fill wells and cisterns.

A daughter born to Mrs. E. Eagle-ton on Saturday.

Mr. Jack Rennie was in Belleville on Tuesday on business.

Mr. Frank Little left on Monday for Kingston to attend a course at the dairy school.

Miss Edna Staples of Baltimore is

## Insurance on Schools Provokes Discussion

School Board Considers Many Phases of Problem and Decides to Increase Insurance on High School Buildings and Contents—Other Matters Before the Board

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Tuesday evening. The members present were: Chairman Elliott and Trustees Bedford, W. S. Martin, Dr. Alger, Dr. Potts, Dr. Walt, Bird, Ward, Marshall and Morton.

The question of increasing insurance on school buildings caused a lengthy discussion. Some members favored bringing a fire underwriter's appraisal to fix a valuation before changing the insurance. However it was finally decided to have a proper inventory made of the contents of the schools and the Chairman of the Board and the Finance Committee were authorized to increase the insurance on the contents in accord with this inventory and on the High School building from \$38,000 to \$40,000.

Two new drinking fountains will be procured at once for the High School and some discussion took place re the heating of the Public School which, owing to defects in the building, has not been satisfactory of late. No action was taken however.

The question of consolidation is again to the fore, certain members of school sections adjoining the village having approached members of the Stirling Board with a view to possible action. It was decided to get all the information available and to consider sympathetically any move from the neighboring School Boards.

The appointment of delegates to the Convention of the School Trustees Association in Toronto in April was left over until the next regular meeting.

## COMING EVENTS

Notices under this head 10 cents a line with a minimum charge 35c each issue

**BAZAAR AND HOT SUPPER ON** Tuesday, March 17th. Methodist Church. Auspices Ladies Union. Admission to supper 35c and 25c.

**A DRAMA IN 3 ACTS, ENTITLED** "The Old Fashioned Mother," will be given in Orange Hall, Wellmans on Friday evening, March 6th, by the Springbrook Dramatic Club, under auspices of Wellmans W. L. Admission 35c and 25c.

visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Little.

Mrs. John Rennie, President of St. Andrew's W. M. S., Burnbrae and Miss Jean Rennie, Honorary President of Burnbrae Y. W. A. were in Belleville on Tuesday attending the meeting of the Western section of Kingston Presbytery. Miss Jean Rennie then went to Brighton to visit her sister Mrs. Oscar McConnell.

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## Council Considering Waterworks Installation

Plan to Use Creek Water—Year Round Service—Eight Inch Main from Creek to Reservoir on Cemetery Hill Suggested—Filtration to be Looked Into—Engineering and Financial Problems to be Worked Out in Detail

Lengthy discussion of a proposed waterworks system for Stirling and a new town hall took place at the regular meeting of Council on Monday evening. The advantages of waterworks were rehearsed in detail, the proposal being to pump water from the creek to a tank on the cemetery hill, from whence it could be piped to residences and other buildings. The question of filtration was brought up and the preliminary report on costs of the whole undertaking would seem to indicate that it might be handled in much the same manner as the Electric Dept. has been. The possibility of a sewerage system being required as soon as waterworks would be installed was also considered. The whole problem will be carefully investigated and a progress report made at the next regular meeting.

The need for a new Town Hall, with accommodation for public meetings, comfort stations; rest rooms, and other community purposes was also discussed.

## Dr. Potts Member of Executive R.A.M.

Following the convocation of the Grand Chapter of Canada Royal Arch Masons, Grand Z. W. S. Davis of Hamilton has announced his subordinate officers for the coming year. Included on the Executive Committee are R. Ex. Comp. J. McC. Potts of Stirling, R. Ex. Comp. W. Y. Mills, Kingston, R. Ex. Comp. A. W. Grant Ottawa, Jas. D. Cameron of Peterboro and James Shuirie of Trenton are included in the list of Grand Stewards.

## Mt. Pleasant

Mrs. Coverly and son Arthur from Malone were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hay for the week end.

Miss Dunham and 2 brothers were guests of their sister Mrs. Elwood Jackson, a few days.

Mrs. Summers is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. A. Sharpe. Mr. Boulter MacMullen is still visiting friends and relatives in our midst. Mrs. Elan Wescott spent about three days visiting relatives here and returned home on Monday.

Mr. George Montgomery and Miss J. E. Gemmell were week end guests at the home of her sister Mrs. Percy McMullen.

Mr. Melville Donnan and Miss Evelyn Wilson spent Friday evening at Jas. Sharpe's.

Miss Gertrude Watson of Seymour is visiting in our midst.

Miss Elsie Wescott of Sidney and friend took tea at Agnes Summers home on Monday evening.

Mr. Gordon Linn had the misfortune to jam a couple of fingers while sawing on Monday.

## PLAY BIG SUCCESS

The play "Martha Made Over" was put on Friday evening and repeated again Monday night. Although both were decidedly cold nights still the people attended in goodly numbers. When expenses are paid the Community Club will have about seventy-five dollars. The play was put on in five acts—The first four being incidents in Martha's life showing her excellent house-keeping qualities, the arrival of Miss Dawn and Uncle Joe to visit at her home and then they persuaded Martha to let Samantha do the work while she goes out more in social life. Then comes Martha's collapse from worry and work and her daughters have to take over the management of the household. The scene of the fifth act comes six months later and comes home "toggled to kill" feeling much improved in health. She then tells her family that she intends to go out more and take a lively interest in all outside affairs. Uncle Joe marries Miss Dawn and Dr. Molar has about appropriated Blanche. Space here will not allow greater detail of the play but all did their parts well and caused much fun. Uncle Joe kept the audience laughing with his one-act bottle of electric oil. Great praise is due those who helped to make the play a success and we feel sure those

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## Orangemen Hold Enjoyable "At Home"

L.O.L. No. 110 Entertain Their Friends at Delightful Function Last Week.

(By "One of the Brethren") The members of L. O. L. 110 held a very enjoyable At Home in their lodge room on the evening of February 25th. Despite the inclemency of the weather and the fact that owing to bad roads the orchestra was unable to keep their engagement the Committee in charge provided a very pleasing and entertaining programme which apparently were enjoyed by all.

The Lodge Room was tastefully decorated and brilliantly lighted for the occasion. The banqueting tables having been previously arranged and spread with a sumptuous display of eatables upon the arrival of the guests and Brethren a feast of good things was the first number on the program. After which the Master, Bro. F. W. Donnan welcomed the Brethren and guests with their wives, daughters and friends on behalf of L. O. L. 110 and expressed his pleasure at seeing so many present.

He then introduced the District Master, Bro. F. Luery and placed the balance of the program for the evening in his hands.

The second number on the program was a solo by Miss Bessie Conley accompanied by Mr. Gerald Clute which was much appreciated.

Mr. Robert Patterson then led in Community singing with Mrs. W. S. Martin at the piano.

Bro. Miller Carl, a Great War Veteran gave a short and interesting talk on the things that are going on in New Ontario as he sees them in his work up there.

More Community singing was enjoyed by all particularly Bro. Patterson's peculiar rendering of I'll Liza Jane.

Rev. O. W. Barrett then gave a very impressive and instructive address in Protestantism and what it has always meant to humanity.

The chairman gave a short outline of the history of William Prince of Orange and his ancestors showing their great contribution to the cause of Protestantism.

A short address was given by Bro. J. S. Morton on work which he emphasized was so necessary in the Orange Order at the present time.

Bro. W. S. Martin spoke on "Religion", pointing out that religion was the inspiration to all that was worth while whether within the Order or outside the Order.

Bro. C. F. Walt discussed "Education", showing that without education to direct and produce a state of mind receptive to these inspirations and aspirations, we did not get very far.

Bro. Thos. Matthews outlined the history of the Orange Order, showing from his long experience, how the order had progressed and improved in this district in the past fifty years.

A song contest was then participated in by a good number, after which all sang, "Auld Lang Syne."

The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Don't forget the bazaar and hot supper at Methodist Church, March 17th, from 4 to 10.30 p. m. Auspices Ladies Union.

## Mr. and Mrs. R. Bedell Meet Loss From Fire

Apartment House at Sault Damaged by Noon-Day Blaze—Some of Occupants Had to Resort to Ladders

A former Stirling girl, Mrs. Ray Bedell, and her husband, who reside in Sault Ste Marie, Ontario, had a thrilling experience with fire a week ago Sunday afternoon. Fire broke out in the furnace room of the Lyons Block in which they occupy an apartment.

It was one of the worst smoke fires that have occurred in the Sault for a long time, according to the Sault Daily Star.

Heavy volumes of black smoke that rose from the burning pile of slack coal in the basement cut off escape from the main entrance directly over the furnace room and occupants of apartments in the second storey had difficulty getting out.

Smoke also cut off the approach to fire escapes in the rear so that a number of the occupants had to be helped out by means of firemen's ladders.

The total loss was about \$10,000, much of which was caused by water and the heavy tar-like smoke. Mr. and Mrs. Bedell suffered a loss of about \$500.00.

The building and most of the contents were covered by insurance.

Mrs. Bedell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Burkitt and many of her old friends in Stirling express regret at the loss that she and her husband sustained.

## Ivanhoe

Sunday's snow storm has improved the roads and given us sleighing again. No one enjoyed the winds of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood attended the funeral of the late Mr. John Blakely of Foxboro on Sunday.

Owing to very high wind storm on Friday the W. M. S. prayer service was poorly attended.

Beulah W. M. S. met at the home of Richard Bird on Tues. 17th. Two quilts were quilted before the regular hour for the Missionary programme at 2.30. The next meeting will be at the home of the Pres. Mrs. Baldwin Reid on March 17th.

St. Andrew's W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Rollins on Tues. 19th. There was a large attendance and a splendid Missionary program.

Sorry to report Miss M. J. Flemming not so well again, but glad to be able to report Miss Barnes quite improved and able to resume her school duties again this week.

Lenten services are being held at Baulah Church during this week with the pastor Rev. E. M. Cook in charge.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Claude Tucker wishes to thank her friends for the many kindnesses shown, also for the beautiful flowers sent during her recent illness in Havelock Hospital.

## DEATH

In Rawdon, March 5th, 1925, Mrs. Elmira R. Heath aged 82 years, 2 months. Funeral on Saturday at 1.30 p. m. Service at Bethel Church.

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## IN MEMORIAM

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## For the Boys and Girls

### HELPING SAM.

The boys' sleds flew down the hill, one after another. The Snowbird Express, Excelsior, Racer, and dozens of others landed their young freight safe and sound at the foot of the declivity.

Cheers, laughter and complimentary comments from the numerous bystanders encouraged the boys to make light work of the laborious part of the fun; the necessity of dragging their sleds up the long hill was but a slight off-set to the exhilarating descent.

Most of the boys were ruddy, active and merry this clear, cold January afternoon. Scarlet or blue mittens, knit by mother or grandmother, kept the little fingers warm, and the nipping "nor'wester" could not frighten them from their sport.

Harry Martin and Ben Thompson dragged their bright new sleds behind them as they made for the starting point, and discussed the relative merits of their comrades.

"I say, Ben," cried Harry, "that's a magnificent sled of Joe Emory's; just see how he goes! Wonder if he'd let me use it once or twice?"

He ought to; you let him have your Reindeer all the time while you had the measles, last winter."

"I kind of hate to ask him, though. I guess I'll not risk a refusal."

"Maybe you are wise. See that lazy fellow just ahead of us, Harry; he's been crawling up the hill as if he hadn't energy enough to breathe."

"Oh, that is Sam Bowman. He isn't lazy; he's sick. I heard him telling somebody that the doctor had ordered him to stay out-doors whenever the sun shone."

And as Harry and Ben passed Sam, they cast a glance at his pale face and slender limbs.

"Poor fellow!" said Ben, when they were out of his hearing. "No wonder he crawls. He looks miserable."

When the two "chums" were again on their upward way, Sam came spinning down the hill with a glow of pleasure and excitement on his pale cheeks.

"His sled is too big for him. A delicate little chap like him ought to have a lighter one," said Ben.

"Yes, but his folks are poor, and he can't have everything he wants," added Harry.

The boys continued the ascent; each thought of the less vigorous boy behind them wearily dragging his heavy sled.

Presently Harry said:

"Ben, let's help Sam up with his sled next time; he'll catch his death of cold walking so slow."

"All right; poor little fellow! I know his legs shake under him. We can haul him up, can't we? Are you strong enough?"

"Of course I am!" replied Harry scornfully—as if any real boy should admit that he was not strong!—"strong enough to haul a bigger fellow than that."

So the generous boys waited after their next descent until Sam joined them; then Ben said:

"Been sick?"

"Yes," replied Sam; "I had a fever. Why?"

"You look thin and pale. Aren't you cold?"

"Not much. The doctor told me to come coasting; if it was all down-hill, I'd get on first-rate, but it takes all my breath to walk up."

"Fresh air and out-door exercise is what you need," said Harry, quoting a favorite sentence of his mother's. "Get on your sled and we'll take you up in a jiffy!"

"Oh, thank you! but I can't—"

"Yes you can; jump on!"

And Ben and Harry gently forced Sam into consenting. Hitching the three sleds together, the two active boys trotted up the hill at a lively pace, and then the three went down at a rapid rate.

Sam enjoyed his afternoon most thoroughly, and when he expressed his gratitude to Harry and Ben for the kindly aid, he added:

"But I'm afraid it spoiled all your fun; it took so much of your time to drag me."

Harry and Ben emphatically denied this, and with truth, for though they

might have had one or two rides the less for their charity to Sam, the glow of satisfaction that warms an honest heart, when one has had a chance to help a less fortunate neighbor, was more comforting than the remembrance of any mere selfish pleasure could be.

As Sam turned down Hancock street, on his way home, an elderly, plainly dressed man, who had been watching the coasters, joined him, as if he were a relative or old friend.

"Is that Sam's father?" asked Ben. "I don't know; I guess so; I never saw any of the family," answered Harry.

A few days after this, when Harry and Ben had quite forgotten the above circumstances, a number of rough boys got into a dispute on the street, and then into a fight.

The disturbance attracted our young friends, and they ran to see what the matter was. Hardly had they arrived at the spot, when one or two policemen appeared on the scene and collared several boys, among them Ben and Harry.

So much for being in bad company, even as spectators!

The two boys in vain protested their innocence; they were marched off to the police court, and, when the policeman explained the case—according to his belief—the judge looked very severe and declared his intention of punishing the offenders.

At this moment, Sam's elderly friend whom the boys at once recognized, entered the room, and said:

"I think your honor is mistaken or misinformed. These two boys—Harry Martin and Ben Thompson—are neither rough nor fighters, but gentlemen, kind-hearted boys. I know a great deal about them."

"They say they were present by accident," replied the judge, "and they certainly look respectable."

"Let me tell you what I saw them do," continued the stranger, who, being a reported for a newspaper, was frequently in the court, and was well known. And he related how they had helped Sam Bowman.

"That puts a different face on the matter," said the judge. "Policeman, did you see them fighting?"

"No, your honor, I didn't. I think I must have made a mistake, and, with your permission, I will withdraw my accusation."

"Very well, Ben and Harry, you are at liberty," answered the judge. "But let me give you a little advice. Don't permit yourselves to get into any doubtful positions; don't countenance by your presence any conduct whose consequences you would be unwilling to bear. You see what might have come of being in bad company for only a few minutes; and you boys," continued he, turning to the other boys present, "see how useful a good name is, and how a little kindness to a neighbor may sometimes be returned to us. A good deed or a good word is never thrown away."—By Frances E. Wadleigh.

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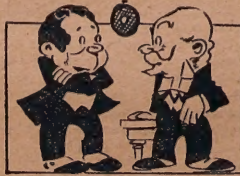


Miss Wanda Landowska, the "muse of the harpsichord," is said to be the only person in the world playing this instrument in the manner of a master. She is Polish and makes her home in Paris.

### The Virtue of Thrift.

Those who do not know France except through press articles, short visits to Paris, the world's capital of luxury, learning and amusement, might easily fancy that France as a whole was extravagant and spendthrift—strange error—for France as a nation is exceedingly thrifty. The glories of Paris are the result of thrift. The peasant or workman arriving often on foot and often from long distances, wearing a blouse and sabots, looks around him with eyes of wonder and admiration; his heart beats the faster at its unimaginable splendors, his ambition is aroused, asking himself, can I also partake of this splendor? Yes, there is one way—one way only—work, thrift, courage will realize his newly-born ambition. Most Frenchmen have these qualities—born workers. Our peasant sets himself resolutely to the self-imposed task, to become by hard persistent work well-to-do. He "arrives," as the French say; he gives his children a good education. The grandchildren of the man of blouse and sabots become "somebodies"; instead of starting with envy at the passing handsome carriages and luxurious automobiles, he

buys one himself; his boys go to college, all the professions are open to them; the girls go to the convent schools and learn everything that is useful for a woman to know. The French Prime Minister declared in a recent speech that France had always in her most tragic history been saved by her brave workers and traditional thrift, and would always be so.—Edw. Fox Salnsbury.



Atrocities Will Rise.

"You say Turkish atrocities will rise to new heights this year?"

"Yes; Turkey is importing automobiles as never before."

The mainspring of a watch may be broken by a sudden change of temperature contracting the metal.

## WHERE WE GET OUR CORK

The cork oak indigenous to Portugal, Southern Italy, Spain, Algeria, and Sardinia, Corsica, Morocco and Southern France yields an article of great commercial value. Portugal rates first among all countries in the exportation of corks and cork oak products, the combined production of Algeria and Morocco being second. The United States is the largest importer of cork.

The cork and olive trees are botanical companions. The cork oak tree grows in all parts of Portugal, but is especially prolific in the Alemjeito or Central Portugal, which produces the best quality bark.

At the age of seven the cork oak is ready for its first stripping, and is stripped every ten years thereafter. After taking the bark from the tree, the trunk remains of a reddish color for a year or two which gradually changes to gray. The first yield, of inferior quality, is used in the manufacture of pen holders, floor coverings, bath mats, interlining for cardboard, and for the protection of bottles and other fragile articles. It is also used in the fabrication of life preservers, and by fishermen throughout the world for net floats. At the age of seventeen the tree is stripped for the second time, each stripping gives a better quality of cork. The quality also depends upon the soil and the health of the tree. The life of the tree is about one hundred years.

The bark is taken from the tree during the months of May, June, July, and August, according to the district. The strips are brought in bundles to the factory where they are stacked in piles, remaining for several months to dry. When seasoned the raspberries, with a triangular metal instrument, scrape the hard outside bark, this bark or refuse is used for packing life-preservers.

The selected wood is then boiled and after remaining some time to set

is given to the redaneadores, or drawers, who cut the bark into geometrical lengths or slabs. They are then given to the squarers or quadradores, the squares are determined by the size and thickness of the wood. The next process in the manufacturing of the cork is rounding, which is done either by hand or by machine. The hand method, though more expensive has two advantages—the economy in the amount of cork used, and the perfection of the finished product. By this method a knife is placed in a metal wedge fixed in a bench, and the cork is very dexterously turned against the edge of the knife. The corks are then sterilized, sized, and divided into six or seven qualities, after which they are placed in sacks, each sack containing about twenty thousand corks. The first and second qualities are sometimes impregnated with a mineral wax, the wax is insoluble, tasteless, odorless, and innocuous to liquids. An additional charge of two cents a gross is made for what is known to commerce as impregnated, or druggists' corks, as the druggist, chemist, and pharmaceutical college demand corks treated by this method.

The export price for a sack of twenty thousand corks is from one dollar and twenty-five cents to one dollar and fifty cents a sack, free on board, and for the first quality. The second, or inferior quality, is sold for seventy-five cents to a dollar a sack; the third quality or culls is shipped in the raw bark, in bales weighing from fifty to seventy-five pounds and bound in wire.

In the Algarve and the Alemjeito one traverses by train or diligence many miles of cork forests. It is not unusual to see piles of bark stacked to a height of fifteen to thirty feet and covering many hectares in area.

The cork oak finds a greater variety of utility than other botanical auto-

## HYDRO DEVELOPMENT IN CANADA

British Columbia is Generously Supplied With Water-Power Resources.

With practically two million twenty-four-hour horse-power available under conditions of ordinary minimum flow and five million during at least half the year British Columbia is generously supplied with water-power resources. The present turbine installation in this province amounts to 355,000 horse-power and this total will be largely increased by the developments now approaching completion in the Stave Lake watershed, on the Kootenay and Powell rivers.

The Powell River Company has raised the height of its dam on the Powell river fourteen feet, increasing its storage capacity by 630 square miles feet, and its power plant by 20,000 horse-power. The East Kootenay Power Company has just completed a 15,000 horse-power development on the Elk river, while the West Kootenay Power 'Light' Company has demolished its 4,000 horse-power plant at Lower Bonington Falls on the Kootenay river and has commenced a development of 60,000 horse-power capacity, of which the initial development is to be 40,000 horse-power.

### Provide for Future Needs.

The works now in progress on the Stave river and on the Alouette lake are of considerable magnitude and are designed to provide for the growing requirements of Vancouver and district, which has already a considerable amount of water-power development to its credit, the supply of electricity being maintained by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company and its subsidiaries which, towards the end of the last century, began to supply power from a steam-power station and which is responsible for the present works.

The water-power supply of Vancouver is provided from three stations, Coquitlam-Buntzen No. 1 of 43,500 horse-power, Coquitlam-Buntzen No. 2 of 40,500 and the Stave River station of 52,000 horse-power, that is to say, until recently the total water-power development supplying Vancouver and district amounted to 136,000 horse-power. The work now in progress will increase this supply by 45,500 horse-power, and it is to be obtained by erecting a station on Stave lake, using water drawn from Alouette lake and by raising the head, adjusting the existing units and adding a new unit to the power station on Stave river.

Briefly outlined, the work now in progress involves raising the existing dams and rebuilding the four existing units on Stave river to produce 70,000 horse-power as against their present capacity of 52,000 horse-power, add-

ing a fifth unit of 15,000 horse-power to utilize the additional water diverted from Alouette lake and the construction of an entirely new development in connection with Alouette lake of 12,500 horse-power.

These increases involve a considerable amount of heavy construction work. On Stave river the intake dam has been raised twenty feet and a new penstock installed and, in order to give stability to the higher structure, four radial tainter gates have been removed so that the large wells required for their operation could be filled in with concrete and all five penstocks openings are now provided with roller gates. The main dam has been raised twenty-five feet and lengthened sixty-six feet, the stop-log sluices filled in, a sixteen-foot concrete roadway constructed on the deck of the dam, and the powerhouse has been enlarged to receive the new unit. About a quarter of a mile to the east of the main dam there is another channel which was originally blocked by a small stone-filled timber crib dam having ten fourteen-foot sluices. This has been replaced by a concrete structure 640 feet long containing ten twenty-eight-foot sluices and four tainter gate openings.

The work in connection with the Alouette development involves the construction of a hydraulic fill dam on Alouette river a short distance below the lake to raise the level of the lake a maximum of forty-five feet. The water thus stored will be conducted through a fourteen-foot square tunnel 3,600 feet long to a powerhouse to be erected on the shore of Stave lake.

### New Developments.

These new developments providing as they do for extensive storage of water, not only represent a most desirable conservation of the water-power resources of this watershed, but also greatly enhance the possibilities of the undeveloped power-sites on the Stave river at Rukin where, when the market warrants its development, another 36,000 horse-power is available.

The Department of the Interior has been particularly concerned with the Stave and Alouette developments in that the lands required for construction and flooding purposes are within the Railway Belt and are, therefore, Dominion lands. In dealing with these lands the department has required that plans be submitted for its approval and this approval has only been accorded when the department has assured itself that its own interests and those of its other concessionaries are adequately protected.

### 30,000 Pounds of Seed.

A new scheme for the tree culture and reforestation in Ontario has been undertaken by the Department of Lands and Forests. The department planted burnt over and cut timber lands with pine seed during the fall, but as this was more or less in the nature of an experiment in Ontario, only three or four hundred acres of land were planted. Approximately 30,000 pounds of red and white pine seed were used for the production of seedlings for reforestation purposes.

The seeds, in the form of the familiar pine cone, are taken to an extraction plant, one bushel of cone producing one pound of seed when treated. Each pound of seed contains about 30,000 individual seeds, which, accord-

ing to experiments carried out by the department should produce fifteen to twenty thousand seedling plants.

The seeding operations on cut over and burnt areas are known as "spot" planting, the seeds being planted in spots suitable for their natural culture.

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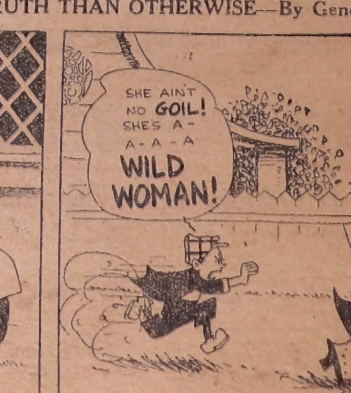
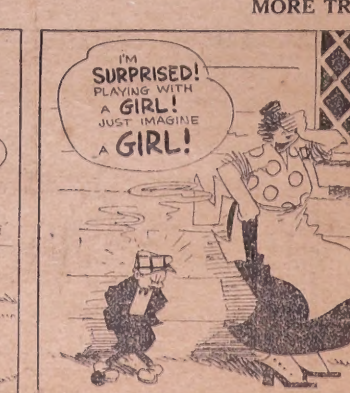
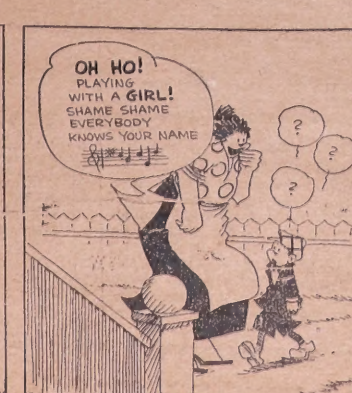
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### REG'LAR FELLERS



MORE TRUTH THAN OTHERWISE—By Gene Byrnes.



## Canada from Coast to Coast

Charlottetown, P.E.I.—During the past fiscal year approximately 4,000 live foxes were shipped out of the Province of Prince Edward Island. Of these 3,000 were exported, many going to the United States, where the industry is developing at a rapid rate.

Hartsville, N.S.—The Premier Paper and Power Co. are planning the installation of a newsprint machine at their mill here, on the St. Croix River. They have already made a number of improvements in the Hartsville mill during the past two years and the intention is to effect further improvements during 1925.

Moncton, N.B.—Of the assets of the life insurance companies in Canada amounting to more than \$805,000,000, invested in Canada, more than 58.94 per cent, or \$466,670,000, is invested in municipal and other Government bonds, according to a statement made by the president of the Dominion Life Underwriters' Association at the annual meeting held here recently.

Quebec, Que.—During the general reconnaissance and inventory of the forests of the northern section of the Province of Quebec, undertaken in the course of the past summer and autumn, some 25,000 square miles of territory were inventoried. Roberval, on Lake St. John, was used as a base.

North Bay, Ont.—Mond Nickel, it is reported, will erect a sulphuric acid plant at its smelter at Coniston, Ont., as an extension of its metallurgical operations. The plant will be of modern design and will produce, for the

Canadian market, sulphuric acid of high quality and of all strengths. It is intended to begin production in the latter part of 1925.

Winnipeg, Man.—The number of registered beekeepers in Manitoba increased from 1,200 to 1,800 between 1923 and 1924. The aggregate value of the honey production in 1924 was \$200,000 net to the producers. Beekeeping has developed to such an extent that the western demand is now chiefly met by home production, and factories for making apiary supplies have been established here.

Regina, Sask.—A few years ago it was necessary, each winter, to bring large quantities of butter into Saskatchewan to supply the local markets. In direct contrast to this, over 7,000,000 pounds of creamery butter or 66.1 per cent of the total output was marketed outside the province in 1923—after supplying all home requirements.

Calgary, Alta.—The annual report of the Taber Irrigation District shows a surplus of \$26,000 for the year's operations. The previous year the surplus available permitted the rates to be cut from \$2 to \$1.50.

Vancouver, B.C.—Creation of a new sawmill town on the Fraser River, with a population of several hundred families, is expected to result from the purchase of nearly two billion feet of timber near Campbell River, Vancouver Island, by Bloedel, Stewart and Welch, at a figure stated to be in close proximity to \$4,000,000.

### Profits From Ruhr Occupation.

An official report recently drawn up by the Finance Commission of the Chamber of Deputies shows that the occupation of the Ruhr by France and Belgium for the period January, 1923, to September, 1924, produced revenue totalling 4,531,037,649 francs. Expenses of occupation amounted to 1,012,559,328 francs, thus leaving an excess of revenue of 3,518,478,321 francs.

The report of the Finance Commission states however, that, in addition to the above mentioned expenditure of occupation, a little more than 781 million francs must be deducted from revenue for cost of the control commission which operated in that region. This leaves a net profit for the Ruhr occupation of 2,737,250,321 francs, out of which France received 1,237,701,087 francs in kind and Belgium a little more than 1 billion francs.

### Camera as Detective.

An interesting discovery in photography is now being used by the French police in their work of criminal investigation. It has been found useful to impregnate the skin of the fingers of criminals, or other suspected persons, with a preparation containing a lead compound. This remains on the lines of the skin.

When an X-ray photograph is taken, not only is the finger-print shown in detail, but also the structure of the bones. The bones of the fingers furnish even more possible clues to the identification of criminals than finger-prints.

## CROW'S NEST RATES CASE BROUGHT TO FOCUS BY SUPREME COURT

A despatch from Ottawa says:—The Prairie Provinces have got a favorable decision on two out of the three questions submitted to the Supreme Court in their appeal in the Crow's Nest rates case. The court has decided that the Railway Commission cannot fix rates higher than the maxima provided for in the Crow's Nest agreement; but it has also decided that the agreement applies only to the Canadian Pacific mileage existing in 1897.

While these provinces have thus apparently won a victory on points, they are in reality, in so far as the general effects go, in a worse position than before they made the appeal. In practice the Crow's Nest rates had been applied to the whole Canadian Pacific mileage, and the Canadian National Railways have applied them too at competitive points. But in 1897 the C.P.R. mileage was only about 7,300 miles, whereas it is now slightly over 14,000; while the Canadian National mileage affected also runs into many thousands of miles. The decision means that this mileage added since 1897 cannot claim the Crow's Nest rates.

On this point Chief Justice Anglin says: "It is obvious that the rates and tolls to be reduced, whether those actually charged, or those contained in the freight tariff, were rates and tolls between points actually in the Canadian Pacific Railway as then existing. There were—there could be—no rates or tolls in existence to or from points not then on the system; and there could be no reductions in non-existing rates and tolls."

The Prairie Provinces had rested their case on the contention that the Crow's Nest Pass Act was a special Act and could not be overridden by the Commission. The Supreme Court said: "That is good law." Counsel for these provinces admitted that, read by itself, the Crow's Nest agreement applied only to the 1897 mileage. But their counsel, in order to make

### THE KING CONTINUES TO IMPROVE IN HEALTH

London Concerned About Methods of Carrying on Executive Duties During Royal Absence.

A despatch from London says:—The King's progress is maintained. He had a much better day, but it will be some days more before he can be troubled about the details of his approaching sea trip. Meantime preparations are going on for his departure next Thursday.

Referring to reports that a Commission will be appointed to act in the King's behalf during his absence, The London Times says:

"The machinery of government to be employed during the King's forthcoming absence from the realm on a yachting cruise in the Mediterranean has been the subject of some unauthorized and inaccurate comment in the last few days.

"It may be useful to state shortly the course that has been followed on previous occasions. It may first be said that no final arrangements have yet been made, and it is unlikely that any definite plans will be announced for a few days.

"Hitherto the usual practice has been when the Sovereign is absent from the British Isles for more than a few days to appoint either a member of the Royal House or certain prominent members of the Ministry to hold Privy Councils for the purpose of disposing of such formal business as may arise."

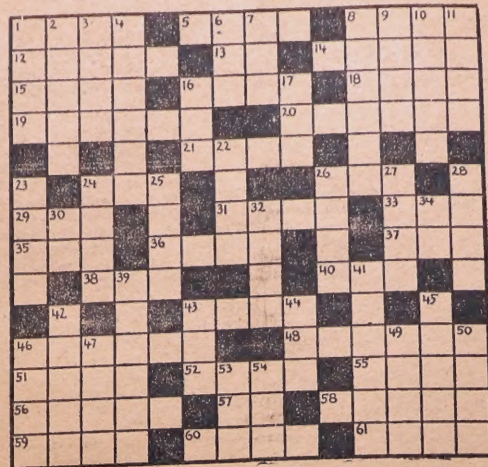
good his contention for the application of the Crow's Nest rates to the whole of the railway mileage, invoked the anti-discrimination clauses of the Railway Act. To this the reply of the court is that terms of the Special Act must apply. That is, it would not do to claim the benefit of both the special and general Acts.

The decision puts the whole question up to Parliament, which will have to deal with it in the most aggravated form that it has ever appeared. On this point the Chief Justice says:

"Parliament, which was in reality one of the contracting parties stipulating the terms on which it would grant the subsidy, may to-morrow reconsider and readjust those terms and relieve the other contracting party from the obligations it incurred; and it is not to be supposed that Parliament would hesitate to exercise its powers for the correction or amendment of legislation, which is found to be operated prejudicially to the public interest. But Parliament alone can do this."

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## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



**SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES**  
Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

### HORIZONTAL

- 1—Author of a famous elegy
- 5—Froth
- 8—A species of snake (pl.)
- 12—Pertaining to the kidney
- 13—Alot
- 14—Purlin
- 15—A sacred image or picture in Greek church
- 16—Wiles
- 18—Narrow strip of fabric
- 19—Dammer and cooler
- 20—Held together
- 21—Fruit of the pine tree
- 24—A medieval trading vessel
- 26—To cover
- 29—To rest at length
- 31—Singing voice
- 33—To equip
- 35—Over (poet.)
- 36—Western State (abbr.)
- 37—Before
- 38—Frequent (poet.)
- 40—One of the months
- 43—An excuse, or its grounds
- 46—Peanut (Southern)
- 48—To pass unnoticed
- 51—Solitary
- 52—A ship's jolly-boat
- 53—Girl's name
- 56—Illegal interest
- 57—Personal pronoun
- 58—Ancient Greek physician, "Father of Medicine"
- 59—A state of disorder
- 60—Seven days
- 61—One of the constellations

### VERTICAL

- 1—A grating of parallel bars

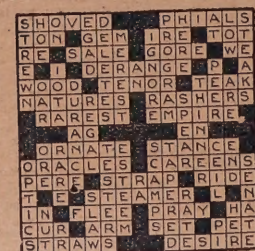
- 2—To can again
- 3—Soon
- 4—A New Englander
- 6—Possessive pronoun
- 7—Pertinent, apposite
- 9—Modern province of Greece
- 9—Chair
- 10—A substance made from rags, wood-pulp, etc.
- 11—Used in a winter sport
- 16—A bow, an arch
- 17—Girl's name (familiar)
- 22—Egg-shaped
- 23—To whip
- 24—A Roman emperor noted for cruelty
- 25—Reality
- 26—Refuse matter
- 27—Any animal seized by another for food
- 28—Vast periods of time
- 30—Id est, Latin for "that is" (abbr.)
- 32—A metal-bearing vein
- 34—Prefix, assimilated form of in
- 39—Fins (nouns)
- 41—To render tough by heating and cooling
- 42—A silly creature
- 43—To move with a lever
- 44—To make ill
- 45—Substance added to paint to make it dry quickly
- 46—Moody and silent
- 47—Burden
- 48—Sole, single
- 50—Girl's name
- 53—Reverential fear
- 54—Small

## GROWING OUR OWN NATIVE WOODS

Oak and Walnut Now Largely Imported for Wood-Working Industries.

A study of the requirements of the wood-working industries of Canada will disclose the fact that the importations of many of their essential raw materials are reaching proportions of considerable magnitude, says the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior. For example, the oak and walnut, so extensively used in the manufacture of high-class furniture, for which product Canada enjoys an enviable reputation in the export markets, is almost exclusively obtained from the United States, and this despite the fact that it has been a product of Canada, and can still be grown here. It is not out of the way to say that in the not far distant future, this foreign source of supply will have reached such a point of exhaustion that it will meet no more than the American demand and Canada's supplies will be more difficult to obtain. We may then have to resort to substitutes. Why not then take some steps to prepare for this emergency?

Looking at this problem from the points of view of a greater utilization of our idle lands, many of which are particularly well adapted for forestry purposes, and of protecting our wood-working industries, it is extremely important. It might effect a development that would tend to forestall the inevitable scarcity of many necessary basic woods, and result in rendering our wood-working factories more or less independent of foreign supplies and of of inestimable value in building up Canadian industry.



### First Belgian Town Raided by Germans Has Been Restored

The little town of Vise, near the border line between Belgium and Germany, the first scene of German operations in August, 1914, has just completed its restoration program. Vise was very badly scarred by fire, but all its historic edifices have been rebuilt in the old style. Principal among these are a sixteenth century church and town hall and a famous ancient convent school.

### Bible Printed in 1638 Found in New Jersey Library

A despatch from New York says:—The request of a cross-word puzzle fan for a Bible at the Barron Public Library at Woodbridge, N.J., led to the discovery of one nearly 300 years old, stored away and forgotten. The Bible, printed in 1638, was found by the librarian, Mrs. P. W. Logan, and stamped names indicate three or more printers worked on it.

### Dogs Haul Milk Carts.

Dogs are often used to haul milk wagons in western Germany.

## THE WEEK'S MARKETS

### TORONTO.

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$2.12½; No. 2 North, \$2.07½; No. 3 North, \$2.03½; No. 4 wheat, \$1.95½.  
Man. oats—No. 2 CW, 71c; No. 3 CW, 66½c; extra No. 1 feed, 67½c; No. 1 feed, 64½c; No. 2 feed, 61c.  
All the above c.f. bay ports.  
Am. corn, track, Toronto—No. 2 yellow, \$1.45.  
Millfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included. Bran, per ton, \$30; shorts, per ton, \$32; middlings, \$38; good feed flour, per bag, \$2.40.  
Ont. oats—No. 2 white, 57 to 59c.  
Ont. wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1.60 to \$1.65; No. 3 winter, \$1.58 to \$1.62; No. 1 commercial, \$1.57 to \$1.61, f.o.b. shipping points according to freights.  
Barley—Malt, 89 to 93c.  
Buckwheat—No. 2, 80 to 84c.  
Rye—No. 2, \$1.34 to \$1.39.  
Man. flour, first pat., \$10.70, Toronto, do, second pat., \$10.20, Toronto.  
Ont. flour—90 per cent, pat., \$7.75, in bags, Montreal or Toronto; do, export 52½, cotton bags, c.f.  
Straw—Carlots, per ton, \$8.50.  
Hay—No. 2, per ton, \$14.50; No. 3, per ton, \$11.50 to \$12.50; mixed, per ton, \$11.50 to \$12.  
Screenings—Standard, cleaned, f. o.b. bay ports, per ton, \$28.  
Cheese—New, large, 24c; twins, 24½c; triplets, 25c; Stiltons, 25c. Old, large, 25 to 26c; twins, 26 to 27c; triplets, 27 to 28c.  
Butter—Finest creamery prints, 34 to 36c; No. 1 creamery, 33 to 34c; No. 2, 31 to 33c. Dairy prints, 26 to 28c.  
Eggs—Fresh extras, in cartons, 46c; loose, 43 to 44c; fresh firsts, 40 to 41c.  
Live poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 22c.  
Dressed poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 28c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over M.F., 35c; do, corn fed, 32c; roosters, 20c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 27c; turkeys, 35c.  
Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 6½c; primes, 6c.  
Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.40; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.80 per cwt.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26c.  
Honey—60-lb. tins, 13½c per lb;

10-lb. tins, 13½c; 5-lb. tins, 14c; 2½-lb. tins, 15½ to 16c.  
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 25 to 26c; cooked hams, 37 to 38c; smoked hams, 18 to 20c; cottage rolls, 21 to 23c; breakfast bacon, 23 to 27c; special brand breakfast bacon, 29 to 31c; backs, boneless, 33 to 36c.  
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$17.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$16.80; 90 lbs. and up, \$15.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$33; heavyweight rolls, \$27.  
Lard—Pure tierces, 18 to 18½c; tubs, 18½ to 19c; pallis, 18½ to 19½c; prints, 21 to 22c; shortening, tierces, 14 to 14½c; tubs, 14½ to 15c; pallis, 15 to 15½c; prints, 16 to 16½c.  
Choice heavy steers, \$7.75 to \$8.25; butcher steers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.25; do, good, \$6.25 to \$6.75; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.25; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7; do, good, \$6 to \$6.50; do, med., 5 to 5.75; do, com., \$4.50 to 5; butcher cows, choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; do, fair to good, \$3.50 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$2.75; butcher bulls, good, \$4.25 to \$5.25; do, fair, \$3.75 to \$4; bologna, \$2.50 to \$3.25; feeding steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4.75 to \$5.50; stockers, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$4.25; calves, choice, \$11 to \$12.50; do, med., \$7 to \$9; do, grassers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; milch cows, choice, \$7 to \$8; fair cows, \$4.50 to \$5.50; springers, choice, \$8 to \$10; good light sheep, \$7 to \$8; heavies and bucks, \$4.50 to \$6.25; bulls, \$3 to \$4; good ewe lambs, \$14.50 to \$16; bucks, \$12.50 to \$14; do, med., \$10 to \$12; do, culls, \$8 to \$9; hogs, thick smooths, fed and watered, \$11.95 to \$12; do, f.o.b., \$11.35 to \$11.40; do, country points, \$11.10 to \$11.15; do, off cars, \$12.25; select, premium, \$2.85.

### MONTREAL.

Butter, No. 1 pasteurized, 31½c; No. 1 creamery, 30½c; seconds, 29½c. Eggs, fresh extras, 47c; fresh firsts, 45c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, 75 to 80c.  
Good lambs, \$13.50 to \$14 per cwt.; good veals, \$10.50 to \$11; do, com., \$9.50; hogs, mixed lots of good weight, \$11.75 to \$11.80; selects, \$12.50.

## BARNED IS GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Sentenced to Six Months' Imprisonment in Common Jail—Judge Censures Press.

Welland, Feb. 26.—Frank Barned of London, Ont., who was charged with the murder of Smylie Muirhead at Niagara Falls in September last, at Welland Supreme Court to-day agreed to plead guilty to a charge of manslaughter, and was given a sentence by Mr. Justice Logie of six months' imprisonment in the common jail.

J. M. McEvoy, K.C., London, when the case was opened this morning, informed Mr. Justice Logie that, after a conference with the Crown Prosecutor, W. C. Mikel, his client, Frank Barned, had agreed to plead guilty to manslaughter if the murder charge were not pressed. Mr. Mikel had agreed to this. Judge Logie was agreeable to this action being taken and said he would sentence the prisoner later.

Barned's pleading guilty to manslaughter came as a complete surprise, as it was understood the defence case had been primed to fight the killing charge to the last ditch. The main plea was that Muirhead's death was due to an unfortunate accident, as Barned had lost control of his car.

In accepting the plea of guilty to manslaughter, Mr. Justice Logie said he wished to make some observations respecting the manner in which the press had referred to the Barned case. Certain members of the press had laid themselves open to charges of high contempt of court.

His Lordship likewise took occasion severely to censure jurymen who disclose what goes on in the juryroom, touching the number for and against conviction, and such other details. This is decidedly improper, he said. He had noticed that in the Trott murder case the newspapers had freely stated that at the first trial there were nine for acquittal and three for conviction.

The Barned case has excited a great deal of interest, in view of the unusual circumstances. Barned and his wife, a beautiful young woman, became estranged, and she had taken a position as school teacher. At the time of the tragedy she was employed in the Queenston school and was boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Muirhead at Niagara Falls. Barned was evidently anxious for reconciliation, and it has been stated that it was with that intention he tried to speak to her

from his car when she was walking on the street with the Muirheads. In statements made after his arrest at New Orleans, where he fled after the killing, he claimed he killed Muirhead accidentally, having lost control of his car.

He said he started for Niagara Falls police headquarters to report the accident, not knowing he had killed Muirhead, but on the way there he had heard something about an intended lynching, so he became panic-stricken, and abandoning his automobile, made his way over the river to Buffalo without funds. In Buffalo he pawned a diamond ring and with the money bought a ticket for New Orleans. Near that city he went to board with a married couple. He drove several times to New Orleans in a taxi. The taxi driver one day apparently recognized him from police description, and notified the authorities. Barned returned to Canada willingly.

## ENGINEERS INJURED WHEN TRAINS COLLIDE

Toronto to Montreal Flyer Crashes Into Freight Near Perth—Passengers Bruised.

A despatch from Montreal says:—No lives were lost and it is expected that the four members of the train crews who were seriously injured when the Chicago to Montreal passenger train No. 20, crashed into the freight train No. 909 in front of the Grey station, near Perth, Ontario, on Thursday afternoon, will recover, according to a report from the C.P.R. headquarters here Thursday night. The seriously injured men are Engineer Norris and Engineer Bourne, both of whom are in the Perth Hospital.

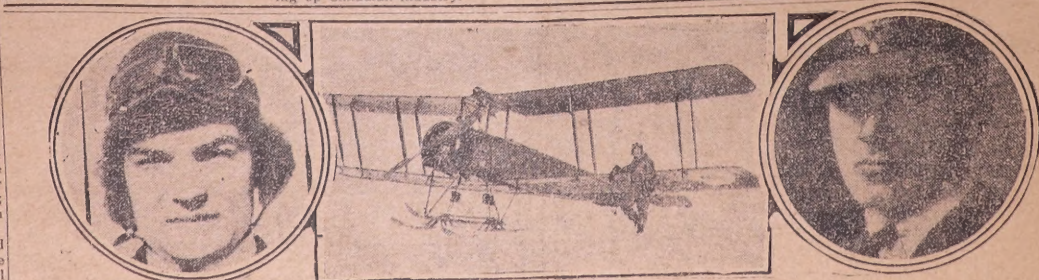
News Agent E. Hanson, who suffered slight internal injuries, and Baggageman G. Anderson, who was also hurt, are also in Perth Hospital.

Others members of the train crews suffered slight injuries, while several passengers also sustained bruises, none of which, according to the C.P.R. report, are believed serious.

A number of passengers who were proceeding to St. John, N.B., to embark for Europe, were able to catch the boat train at Montreal West, and continued on their way.

## Tourists Leave Much Money Here.

Many estimates are made as to the amount of revenue derived from the tourist traffic. It is somewhat unusual, however, to receive a direct statement of expenditure by those who come to Canada for holiday purposes. The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Dept. of the Interior is receiving a large number of enquiries for information on canoe routes, motor trips and holiday resorts from many residents of the United States. Among these is one in which the writer wants information concerning a canoe trip in Northwestern Ontario he contemplates making this summer. He states that "one year, when we figured out, we found we had left \$3,700 in your good Province of Ontario, and I assure you it afforded us all great pleasure to do so." This reason promises to be an exceptionally active one for tourist business, especially among the areas where transportation is almost exclusively by canoe and portage.



COLLISION IN THE AIR AT CAMP BORDEN CAUSES DOUBLE FATALITY

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Thursday, March 26th, 1926.

### The Rink Question

Every citizen who can come is urged to be present at the adjourned meeting to consider the erection of a covered rink, which will be held next Wednesday evening in the Agricultural rooms. The committee in charge of the canvass will present a progress report, which, if the results so far obtained are a fair measure, will be a satisfactory one. They will also have additional information re financing and building details. The cause is a good one. Support it if you can, all you can.

### The Earthquake

The earthquake was so slight in this portion of Hastings that many were unaware that Dame Nature had staged one of her most impressive performances right at our doors. However as soon as radio broadcasting stations and telephones got busy, almost everyone was quickly informed. South Hastings is on the edge of the great Laurentian Shield, one of the oldest formations on the earth's crust. The underlying rock is heavy and probably free from large "faults," hence the area was not so seriously affected as were others that rested on a less solid foundation. The shock was probably the most severe that has occurred in this part of the world since the heavy quake of about 250 years ago, records of which have been preserved in the Journals of the Jesuits.

### EDITORIAL NOTES

"House Organs" are an interesting development of modern commercial and industrial life. Probably most companies doing a national or an international business use some form of house organ to foster an esprit de corps in their staffs. They are very informative, cheery little bits of inspiration from the head office to the men on the firing line. We are indebted to Dr. H. J. Meiklejohn, of Winnipeg, for a copy of "The Envoy," the breezy little house organ of the Sovereign Life Assurance Co.

Eighteen million people visited the Canadian Pavilion, Wembley last year and more are expected this year. The result will be reflected in trade returns. It is good business for Canada to take part in the exhibition again this year. Publicity must be persistent to be of really permanent value.

## WEST HUNTINGDON

District News and Views Conducted by  
ARTHUR WILSON

(Left over from last week.)

Our Tuxis Boys' sold in all Eleven Bonds in the recent Bond selling campaign. This we consider a fair showing according to reports of sales in some of our neighbouring towns.

Mr. Morley Haggarty has had the phone installed in his house on Mill St. This is what makes the phones more valuable—More the merrier.

Rev. F. J. Lane and the writer of these lines attended the Ontario Prohibition Union held at Toronto last week. Space does not permit a full report but we like the readers of the West Huntingdon news to see the situation, as it is the province to-day as expressed in the resolution introduced by the "Political Action Committee".

"The magnificent attendance and intense enthusiasm which characterized this annual convention of the Ontario Prohibition Union evidences the sense of the alarm felt by the electors of Ontario at the announcement contained in the speech from the throne of the government's proposal to increase the alcoholic content of beer.

"We believe that this great convention simply gathers up and vocalizes the feeling of indignation that in any province of Canada the fundamental principles of democracy should be so violated as would be the case if the present proposal of the government passed into legislation.

"When the will of the people was expressed in the recent plebiscite by a majority of 33,933, we confidently expected that the government would according to definite pledge, make still more effective the provision of the Ontario Temperance Act and we submit by the way to strengthen that law would be to accede to the request repeatedly made by previous provincial prohibition conventions and lessen the alcoholic contents of liquor.

"The convention desires to lay upon the conscience of the Christian electors of the province, their duty in the crisis that has arisen, of holding the line against all attacks made from any quarter.

"We would call upon the government to abandon its proposal and to proceed at once to implement by legislation, the definite promise it has made.

"The present issue is a challenge to the members of the legislature, regardless of their party affiliation to insist that the people's expressed will shall be respected, political honor upheld and the integrity of the Ontario temperance act maintained."

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## Legislative Grist at Ottawa

By Our Ottawa Oracle

Ottawa, March 2nd.—Last week Parliament was invaded by a number of delegations. One came from Quebec, made up of boot and shoe manufacturers who claim their industry is being hurt by the importation of British made shoes and consequently the native makers want the tariff lifted a few notches. Another delegation of woolen goods makers came with a complaint similar to the boot and shoe folk and favor the same medicine as an immediate preventive if not a total cure. There were other delegations on different missions, among them being one representing the Home Bank depositors, which saw Mr. Meighan and some of his leading henchmen. It is understood the leader of the opposition would not commit himself. He prefers to wait to learn just what the government is going to do. The chief delegation, however, came from the Maritime Provinces, and numbered several hundred, to urge for what has been described as "Maritime Rights." The provinces down by the sea consider themselves entitled to some special consideration. They want special freight rates so that they may meet United States competition with the products of their most valuable natural resources. They want the British preference made applicable only to imports through Canadian ports and generally the adoption of such a policy as will stimulate things out their way.

The Peterson shipping contract and the Preston report were on the tapis

for discussion last week, but neither came along. It is expected, though, they will come up this week and then things will live up. The Peterson or ocean subsidy bill will go to a special committee after its initial airing in the house, and there it will be dealt with sans gloves. W. T. R. Preston will appear before the Committee in person as the star witness.

On Thursday, Captain Joseph T. Shaw, of West Calgary, an able young lawyer, who rendered creditable service in France during the war, brought up again a bill designed to establish equality as between husband and wife so far as grounds for divorce are concerned. The bill is designed to apply more particularly to the Western provinces, where under the existing law, a wife in order to get divorce must prove cruelty in addition to adultery. The husband merely has to prove adultery. The bill was given its second reading and carried by 109 to 88. The introduction of the bill provoked a long discussion during which C. A. Fournier, of Bellechasse, who with his snowy hair, immaculate attire and general debonaire appearance somewhat resembles the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, delivered an impassioned oration against divorce. It was a righteous oration and suitable for Lent, no doubt, that evidently pleased the members for they applauded the otherwise gay Fournier when he sat down, unruffled and as fresh looking as the carnation, a daily decoration, in the lapel of his coat.

### Mount Pleasant

(Continued from Page 1)

from Hoards, Carmel, Stirling, Wellmans and Bethel who turned out on such a cold night were fully satisfied with the quality of the play.

The cast of the play was as follows: Miss Martha Hayes—Miss J. E. Geimel

Mr. Jim Hayes—Mr. Gordon Linn  
Miss Anne Hayes—Miss Lilia Potts  
Miss Blanche Hayes—Miss Lilia Sharpe  
Master Davy Hays—George Young  
Samantha, the maid, Miss H. Sharpe  
Mrs. West, social worker, Miss Edna White

Mrs. Tri, W. C. T. U. worker, Miss Dorothy Sharpe.  
Ruth Dawn, an old school friend of Martha's, Miss Mildred Smith  
Uncle Joe Goldie, an old bachelor, Mr. Bob Melville  
Angelina Box, a spinster, Miss Pearl Pounder  
Dr. Molar, dentist, Mr. H. Johnson  
Rev. Mr. Black—Allan Reid  
Mr. W. Garrison acted as chairman

in Rev. Joblin's absence. Between acts solos were given by Mr. Joe Williams and Mrs. Elgin Chard. A duet, "Eating Jam" by Olive McConnell and Edna Sharpe. Two Negro duets were given by Elder Hawkins and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoard which brought down the house.

Readings were given by Gertrude Ponder, George Ellis and Patsy Lumre. Mr. Wilfred Sine and Ivy Maybee also the Broadworth orchestra supplied music between acts and were given hearty encores.

### River Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh and baby spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Ross Bush.

Miss Ethel Wilson spent the week end at the home of Mr. Richard Lawrence.

Messrs. Royal and Lorne Herman spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Utman and Dorothy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanna.

Quite a number in this neighborhood felt the shock of the earthquake on Saturday night.

Mrs. E. Donohoe, Miss Nora and Mr. Tom Donohoe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bush.

### Obituary

CHAS. EGGLETON.

Following an illness of eight months Charles Eggleton passed away at his home in Holmfield, Manitoba on Monday. Mr. Eggleton was born on a farm on the Oak Hills 57 years ago. Although he went to Manitoba 35 years ago he was well known to many of the older residents of Stirling and district. Messrs. Robert, Thomas and George Eggleton of Stirling and John of Foxboro are brothers and Mrs. Fred Faulkner is a sister. The late Mr. Eggleton was never married.

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## Local and Personal

We hope our readers will consider  
this column their very own. We  
always appreciate receiving items  
of local interest by telephone (59  
post card or by a friendly call at the  
office.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin are in  
Toronto this week.

Don't forget the W. I. meeting on  
Friday, March 8th.

Mr. Chas. Halliwell is recovering  
steadily from his recent serious illness.

Mrs. R. D. Macaulay of Belleville  
visited friends in Stirling on Friday.

Mr. Dan Derry has moved into Mr.  
W. S. Martin's house, recently occu-  
pied by Mr. Potter.

Miss Kathleen Doak, Employment  
Service of Canada (Domestic Dept.)  
Toronto is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Earl Luery had a successful Tea  
for the Methodist Church on Tuesday  
afternoon.

Mrs. Herb Smith and little daughter  
Zella, spent a few days last week with  
J. G. Butler.

Glad to hear that Mr. John Osborne  
who has been very ill with acute neu-  
ralgia is improving steadily.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. McC. Potts visited at  
the home of her brother in Belleville  
for a few days this last week.

Visit Sample Sale, Made in Can-  
ada and Fancy Goods Booths at the  
bazaar in Methodist Church, March  
17th.

Adjourned meeting re covered rink  
will be held next Wednesday evening  
in Agricultural rooms, at 7.30 p.m.  
Come and lend a hand.

Mr. Wilbert Hagerman was in New  
York at the week-end attending the  
funeral of his brother-in-law Mr. W.  
Cummins.

Mr. C. E. Nix has secured the posi-  
tion of cheesemaker at Rosebud fac-  
tory, Tyendinaga and will move from  
Stirling with his family the end of  
this month.

Mr. Will Wannamaker has moved  
from Mr. J. Bird's house on Church  
St. to Mr. Richard's house on the  
Campbellford road. Mr. Bird expects  
to move to town early this month.

To arrive in a few days, I carload  
Redpath sugar. Get prices C. B. Mc-  
Guire & Son.

Yesterday a number of members of  
the M. L. Mission Band called on their  
President, Miss Hume, who is suffer-  
ing from a broken arm and presented  
her with a pot of Daffodils "with every  
best wish for a speedy recovery"

The Time: March 17th, 4 to 10.30 p.  
m. The Place: Basement of Method-  
ist Church. The Event: Bazaar and  
Hot Supper. Attractive booths; excel-  
lent supper. You will be welcome. 26a

Miss Myrtle MacMullen returned from  
Kingston General Hospital last Satur-  
day. She is convalescing steadily but  
it will be some yet before she has  
quite recovered.

Use Economy by getting a bottle of  
Cet-A-Foam, and make ten pounds of  
the best soap for less than 30c. It will  
wash and clean anything that soap  
can be used on and will not injure the  
most delicate fabric. Get a sample of  
this soap at Lindenfield's grocery and  
he will tell you how you can save  
time and money and do your washing  
with half the rubbing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Williams of  
Jackson, Michigan are visiting their

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## Judicial Sale

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order  
for Sale made by the Supreme Court of  
Ontario in an action of Hawkins vs.  
Heath and bearing date respectively the  
23rd day of June, 1924, and the 9th day of  
February, 1925, there will be sold by public  
auction, with the approbation of the Local  
Master at Belleville, at his Chambers  
in the Court House at the City of  
Belleville on Monday the 30th day of  
March next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in  
the afternoon, the following valuable farm  
property:

PARCEL NO. 1—The West half of Lot  
Number 8 in the Third Concession of the  
Township of Rawdon in the County of  
Hastings, containing 100 acres more or  
less.

PARCEL NO. 2—The East half of said  
Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the  
Township of Rawdon aforesaid contain-  
ing 100 acres more or less.

Upon Parcel No. 1 are erected a large  
brick dwelling house fitted for two ten-  
ants, a large frame barn, 40 by 70, and a  
large frame shed for agricultural imple-  
ments together with the usual other farm  
buildings—pigeon, henhouse, etc.

Upon Parcel No. 2 are erected a frame  
dwelling house, size 24 by 36, two storeys,  
and a frame barn about 30 by 56.

The buildings on both parcels are in  
fair state of repairs as well as the fences  
and both parcels are well watered.

The property will be sold subject to re-  
serve bids fixed by the Master, and in two  
parcels or en bloc at the option of the  
Master.

Terms of Sale: 10 per cent. down and  
balance within one month thereafter with-  
out interest.

In all other respects the terms and con-  
ditions of sale will be the standing condi-  
tions of sale of the said Court.

For further particulars apply at the law  
offices of B. C. Donnan, Court House,  
Belleville, and R. D. Macaulay, Campbell  
Street, Belleville. Dated the 23rd day of  
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S. S. Lazier,

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in the County of Hastings containing  
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Upon the said premises are erected a  
two story frame dwelling house about 24  
by 36 and a large frame barn size 30 by 50,  
all in a fair state of repair.

The premises are well watered and the  
fences in fair condition.

The property will be sold subject to re-  
serve bid fixed by the Master.

Terms of sale: 10 per cent down and the  
balance within one month thereafter  
without interest.

In all other respects the terms and con-  
ditions of sale will be the standing condi-  
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### Methodist Church

PASTOR—REV. C. W. BARRITT  
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10.00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11 a. m.—"The Two Masters"  
7 p. m.—"Humble Gideon"  
Tuesday 7.30 p. m., Prayer Meeting.

CARMEL, SUNDAY, MARCH 5TH  
MONDAY, 8 p.m.—Epworth League  
Service—2.30 p.m.

### Presbyterian Church

MINISTER—REV. ROBT. SIMPSON  
SUNDAY, MARCH 5TH  
10 a.m.—Sabbath School  
Mr. J. M. Miller, of Queen's Univer-  
sity will conduct the services at 11 a.m.  
and 7 p.m.  
Guild on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Rawdon Circuit Notes

REV. FRED G. JOBLIN, Pastor.  
SUNDAY, MARCH 5TH, 1925.  
Mt. Pleasant—10.30 a. m.  
Wellmans—2.30 p.m.  
Bethel—7.00 p. m.  
Bethel, Teacher Training Class at  
Miss Rupert's on Monday evening.  
League on Thursday.  
Wellmans, League Tuesday evening.  
Mt. Pleasant, "Friday"  
Subjects—(1) Merchant of Venice.  
(2) Trip through Holy Land; both ill-  
ustrated with lantern slides.

## EXAMINATION DATES SET

The dates for Department examina-  
tions have been set as follows:  
High School Entrance—June 24-26.  
Lower School—June 23-26.  
Middle School—June 22 July 7.  
Upper School—June 22 July 7.

## CARD OF THANKS

Miss Myrtle MacMullen desires to  
thank her friends for their many acts  
of kindness, for letters, for gifts and  
for flowers sent to her while she was  
in hospital in Kingston.

## Notice to Creditors

All persons having claims against the  
estate of PETER E. RUPERT, late of the  
Township of Rawdon, in the County of  
Hastings, merchant, deceased, are hereby  
required to send particulars and proofs  
thereof to the undersigned, solicitor for  
Katie Elizabeth Rupert and James McC.  
Potts, Executrix and Executor respective-  
ly of the said estate, on or before the 4th  
day of April, A. D. 1925, after which date  
the assets of the estate will be distrib-  
uted to the parties entitled thereto.  
Dated the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1925.  
ROBERT D. MACAULAY  
Bank of Commerce Chambers, Belleville,  
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## Notice

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thews. Phone 101-12. 21d

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Rawdon, Wednesday, March 11th, at  
1 o'clock. Jeremiah Bird, Owner,  
Henry Wallace, Auctioneer. 26a.

## NOTICE

To Ratepayers of Stirling Vill-  
age:—

The annual audit of the vill-  
age accounts has been made and  
forwarded to the Government.  
A copy of same is on file at the  
Clerk's office and may be seen  
at any time by any ratepayer.

C. B. MCGUIRE,  
Reeve.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF  
ELIZABETH KYLE LATE OF THE  
VILLAGE OF STIRLING IN THE COUN-  
TY OF HASTINGS, WIDOW DECEAS-  
ED.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to  
section 56 of the Trustees Act, R.S.O. 1914,  
chapter 121 that all creditors and others  
having claims or demands against the es-  
tate of the said Elizabeth Kyle who died  
on or about the 29th day of January, A. D.  
1925 are required on or before the 31st day  
of March, A. D. 1925 to send by post pre-  
paid or deliver to C. B. McGuire, Stir-  
ling, Ontario the Executor of the last will  
and Testament of the said Deceased their  
Christian names and surnames, addresses  
and descriptions, the full particulars in  
writing of their claims, a statement of  
their accounts, and nature of the security,  
if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such  
last mentioned date the said Executor  
will proceed to distribute the assets of  
the said Deceased among the parties entit-  
led thereto having regard only to the claims  
of which he shall then have notice, and  
the said Executor will not be liable for the  
said assets or any part thereof to any per-  
son or persons of whose claim notice shall  
not have been received by him at the time  
of such distribution.

DATED at Belleville this 10th day of Feb-  
ruary, A. D. 1925.

B. C. DONNAN,  
Court House Bldg.,  
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Small cuts should be allowed to bleed for a short time to carry off the dirt and germs. Wash them out with a weak disinfectant. Cuts exposed to dirt or gravel should be disinfected with iodine. This is especially necessary for wounds on the knees and legs, so likely to happen to playing children. Always use fresh iodine and never apply it twice in succession in the same place, for it will burn.

A silver can removed thus: Fill a wide-mouthed bottle nearly full with hot water. Hold the part of the body containing the silver over the mouth of the bottle and press down a little. In a short time the silver will work out and the pain will cease.

Wrap wounds with gauze or a clean white cloth and fasten with adhesive tape. Adhesive tape must not be wrapped completely around any part of the body, as it tends to stop circulation and may produce swelling.

The pain of a bruise can be lessened by applying a cold knife blade to the affected part. This tends to contract the blood vessels and stop the swelling.

Burns and scalds may be cared for at home when they do not injure the deeper tissues. Plunge the burned part into cold water and then apply butter or lard. Other good remedies are a paste made of baking-soda and water, carbolized vaseline or cream. Burns which are blistered must be opened to let out the fluid, but the skin must be left on for a protection. Pierce a blister with a clean (not rusty) needle, sterilized by dipping in boiling water. Bandage burns in order to protect them from the air and lessen the pain.

### DIRT IN THE EYE.

A foreign body in the eye can not be removed by rubbing. Close the eye and see if tears will wash it out. If not, close the eye and blow the nose.

Another method is to have the patient look down while you place a pencil above the edge of the upper lid and turn the lid back over it. Remove the foreign body with the corner of a clean handkerchief. To remove a cinder on the lid, bring the top lid up over the under lid and push up gently. The eye may be soothed by dropping in a drop or two of castor oil.

Another way to remove a cinder from the eye: Apply a small piece of hog's lard to the inner part of the eyelid. Then close the other eye by placing the hand over it. This method of treatment will soon bring the cinder down to the corner of the eye where it can be taken out with a clean soft-linen handkerchief. It is important to have pure lard.

### PREVENT ACCIDENTS.

A little careful thought beforehand may prevent many injuries. Water spilled on the floor should be immediately wiped up, or it may cause a bad fall. Rugs on slippery floors are also dangerous. Ice steps and walks should be sprinkled with sand, ashes or sawdust as soon as possible. Tacks, broken glass and dishes should always be swept up, and sharp knives, scissors, can openers, and opened cans should be kept out of the reach of tiny hands.

In every home there should be a medicine chest or an emergency chest. It should be locked, but every older member of the family should know

where the key is kept. It should include such first-aid materials as: Carbolated petrolatum of vaseline, iodine, collodion (for painting slight injuries on the skin), alcohol, absorbent cotton, gauze roller bandages, a camel's hair brush, and scissors. Iodine should be labeled "Poison."

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Cook sugar, water and salt together, stirring until the sugar is dissolved. Continue cooking, without stirring, until the syrup forms a hard, but not brittle, ball in cold water.

Remove from the fire and gradually pour it over the egg whites, which have been beaten until stiff during the latter part of the cooking of the syrup. Beat while pouring. Continue beating until the candy will hold its shape when dropped from the spoon. Add vanilla. Drop by teaspoonfuls on waxed paper. Nuts may be added just before the candy is dropped.

Marshmallows—2 cups sugar, ½ cup hot water, ½ cup cold water, 1 tsp. vanilla, 2 tbsp. gelatin.

Soak the gelatin in the cold water. Cook sugar and hot water nearly to the soft ball stage. Add gelatin, pour into a large bowl and beat until stiff. Add vanilla, beat thoroughly and pour into a tin. Let stand until stiff. Cut in strips, pull out of tin, cut in squares and roll in equal parts of cornstarch and powdered sugar.

### PUTTY FOR LEAKS.

A wash pan of graniteware which leaked badly was successfully mended by using putty, which was allowed to dry before the pan was put into service again. Soldering is difficult with graniteware, so I hope this suggestion may help some other housekeeper. —R. H.

### City Ways.

"Why didn't you sign for the package when the expressman came, Kitty?" Inquired Mrs. Brown of her new little country maid. With a very shy look, Kitty replied: "I ain't going to write my name in no strange man's autograph album—not me."

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## Love Gives Itself

THE STORY OF A BLOOD FEUD

BY ANNIE S. SWAN.

"Love gives itself and is not bought."—Longfellow.

### CHAPTER VIII.—(Cont'd.)

Judy walked by way of the march dyke to The Lees, and the delicious air, so pure and clear at that high altitude, uplifted part of the deep depression which had crept over her usually cheerful heart, coming whence she did not know. Sensible and reasonable, however, she attributed it merely to the reaction following upon a long period of strain. For the same reason, she now slept like a dead log at night, thus unconsciously recuperating her physical frame, and had invariably to be awakened in the morning by Christy with her cup of tea, whereas, formerly, she had been the awakener of the whole household.

It was the readjustment of things that was now troubling Judy. Understanding that she was not now of supreme importance to Stair, she was waiting, with what patience she might, for further enlightenment and guidance. Her faith in Alan was boundless and complete, but that very day it was destined to receive a rude shock.

It was very early when she stepped through the shrubby path on to the gravel sweep before the house door at The Lees. But relatives are privileged, and the fact that it was only half-past two o'clock did not greatly trouble Judy. She hoped and expected to catch her aunt and her cousin before they went out for the afternoon drive which she knew to be part of their daily program.

The door was closed, and she had to ring, and wait for admittance. When Ramsay came and saw her in the porch, instead of the usual welcoming smile he looked blank and perturbed.

"Not at home, Miss Rankine," he faltered, and the words seemed to drop unwillingly from his lips.

"Have they gone out already, Ramsay?" asked Judy, in tones of frank disappointment. "It is only half-past two!" she added with a glance at the watch-bracelet on her arm, "I thought the carriage did not usually come round till three?"

"The ladies are in the house, Miss Rankine, and they saw you comin', but them's my orders," said poor Ramsay, deciding that he had better tell the full truth and get it over. But he avoided looking at Miss Rankine's face as he uttered the unceremonious words.

"Thank you, Ramsay. You have done your duty," she said, simply and kindly, and turned away from the door.

Her face had whitened a little, and something sprang into her eyes, very different from the usual quiet kindly light which dwelt there. Mystery seemed heaped upon mystery, and now beyond doubt it was clear that something had happened between Alan and Peter Garvock which had snapped, for a time at least, the tie of friendship and goodwill.

Now Judy resented, as she had the right to do, being kept in the dark. She felt that she ought to have been spared such humiliation at the door of The Lees. She was half minded to turn back now, and walking straight into the house, demand from her Aunt Isabel or from Lucy an account of what had happened!

But both pride and prudence forbade such a course, for, not knowing what had happened, it was possible that she might be dismayed to hear it, for the first time, from their lips.

At the other side of the shrubbery she hesitated, being very loth to go back to Stair without having accomplished something. The house was very large and lonely, and her day without object until Alan should return. Quickly, she decided, as the afternoon was fine, to walk into Ayr, where she could easily pay a call, or perhaps she might go to the station, and meet one of the afternoon trains in the hope of seeing Alan.

She turned back a few steps into the drive, and walking rapidly was soon outside the gates. The entrance to The Lees was unpretentious, though a pretty lodge had been built; but the drive was short and uninteresting, with that made look which detracts from the dignity of new places.

Familiar since childhood with every turn and byway, Judy had a very pleasant walk into the town, and long before she reached it she had decided that the Clock House should be her first place of call.

When she reached the Sandgate it was a quarter to four o'clock, and she reckoned that she would pay a call of twenty minutes' duration and yet reach the station in time to meet the half-past four train.

She asked for Miss Carlyon at the Clock House but was informed that she had gone to Glasgow for the day. "But my mistress is in," said the girl, kindly, imagining that Miss Rankine, whom she knew well by sight, looked rather tired, "and I'm just taking up the tea. Will you not, please, come in?"

Judy thanked the girl, and said she would. She had not yet met Mrs. Carlyon, but reflected that this would be an excellent opportunity of mak-

ing her acquaintance. It was her first visit to the Clock House since the Carlyons had entered into possession. It was one of Mrs. Carlyon's good days. It may be said here that she invariably had good days when Carlyon had to be out of the house. Perhaps Carlyon had erred where her mother was concerned, and had been too ready to take upon herself the full duties of the household.

Mrs. Carlyon, after her marriage and subsequent retirement from the stage—on which the Professor had insisted—had seemed to lose her chief interest in life. Judith, who had heard various reports about her, and who was, of course, aware that she had been an actress, was, in a manner, prepared to find her a little different from other women.

She was surprised to find her so young a woman, and it was only after she had been in the room for some little time that she realized that much of her beauty was artificial.

When Miss Rankine was announced, the mistress of the Clock House rose in obvious surprise, but with a ready welcome.

She was a small, plump woman, and wore a tea-gown of blue velvet much trimmed with lace, a string of artificial pearls round her throat, and a quantity of rings on her fingers. Her smile was quite sweet as she extended her hand.

"I am very glad to see you. My daughter has often told me how kind you were to her in the winter at the rehearsals. If it had not been for you, she never would have gone on with them."

Judy, listening intently, detected some jarring cadence in the voice and pronunciation, something which proclaimed the lack of education, and she wondered what kind of stage career Carlyon's mother had had. But she felt drawn to the woman, and even, in some odd way, a little sorry for her, realizing that never in Ayr could she feel herself at home.

"It is very kind of you to see me. I would have come long since only, of course, I was very much engaged with my father."

"Ah, yes—you poor dear! We were all sorry for you. Carlyon wanted to write, but was afraid to intrude. You'll have a cup of tea, won't you? I am sorry my husband is not in. He has gone down to the station to meet Carlyon who expected to get back by the four-thirty train. I hope you will wait till they come. I suppose you have driven down?"

"No, I walked. I can stay a little while, and I shall be grateful for a cup of tea, Mrs. Carlyon. What a very pleasant room this is! We used to know the Birkmyres who had this house so many years. They simply loved it!"

"Oh, it is a very nice house—and so cheap! But, of course, I don't feel so very much at home in Scotland. My husband does, but then he does not depend on ordinary things for his happiness. Fossils are necessary to him, and it seems there are a good many about here."

Judy laughed outright.

"What kind of fossils, Mrs. Carlyon?"

A ripple of amusement crossed the pretty faded face, and one of her rings tinkled on the edge of the cup she was warming from the kettle.

"Now if I had said that, Miss Rankine, I know now why Carlyon talked so much about you. I am specially glad to see you to-day, for now we can have a nice talk, perhaps, about what has happened."

(To be continued.)

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### A Last Straw.

Emily is aged three. She is a only child, and she has a friendly, sociable disposition. She adores playmates, and it has been a great grief to her that she is so often debarred from playing with her little friends on account of bad colds, whooping cough, suspected measles, and what not.

Recently a new baby cousin arrived in her uncle's family, and Emily was enjoying the prospect of a speedy visit to the little newcomer. Her father casually remarked that the baby had dimples, whereupon Emily appealed to her mother in a tone of despair, "Oh, mother, can't I go near her if she has dimples?"

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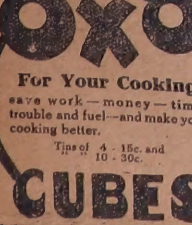
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## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario.

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

Of all the inconveniences that beset humanity in this country at this time of year, the common cold is probably one of the most formidable. It is both a nuisance and a danger. It upsets one's pulse, makes one irritable and restless, interferes with all the normal functions of everyday existence. It makes a person feel dull and stupid and disinterested in life and is a menace to health, because the common cold, while not especially dangerous in itself, always brings with it the possibilities of a deeper, more severe infection, such as broncho-pneumonia. The great trouble is to know just what is the best thing to do to cure a cold. Certainly keeping warm in bed, reducing the intake of food, and keeping the bowels active, are three of the main points to be observed. Colds usually run a definite course, and if care is taken to avoid further chills, a few days only elapse till the sufferer has recovered at least enough to get about his ordinary duties again. The weather of the past few weeks has been particularly variable, and just the kind that makes people liable to catch a cold. One day the thermometer is hovering at or below zero, the next the weather resembles a balmy day in the late spring or early summer. In consequence, the ordinary citizen finds it difficult to adjust himself or herself to the varying climatic conditions, and a chill may result.

The real cold, known in medical language as "Coryza" is an infection caused by a germ. Colds usually start with a dryness and fullness of the nose, and may be accompanied with a

rise in temperature, headache, perhaps headache and a general feeling of depression. This condition may be followed by sneezing, profuse watery discharge from the nose at the rate of several hundred drops per day, and of several hundred drops per day, and occasional chills.

If the feet get wet or cold, there is a tendency for the mucous membrane of the nose to swell and pour out water and mucus. Other changes in the environment may alter the thickness of the mucous membrane of the nose or may otherwise affect it. The lining of the nose is therefore constantly changing in thickness, in moisture, in temperature, etc. If the changes in the air change the membrane of the nose beyond a certain point, sneezing results. It shows at once that the new condition is a source of irritation and the mucous lining has to adjust itself to the altered circumstances. Some people call these changes a cold, or a common cold, or a cold in the head. Not at all. A cold is a different thing. It is an infection with some kind of a germ. One or two investigators at the present time think they have found the germ of colds. Perhaps they have, but then again, the infection may be due to any one of several kinds of germs. The condition is known among doctors as coryza, and it is the kind in mind when they issue warnings about the dangers of colds. They lead to pleurisy, pneumonia, bronchitis, sore throat, many of which may turn out serious if not carefully treated. Therefore, if you can, take all necessary precautions to avoid the common cold.

### Has the Dairy Cow Been Given a Chance?

Dairy cows and men are very much alike in one respect—neither has anything to say as to their parentage.

They are very different in another respect—man is master, the cow a servant. Such being the case, are men giving the dairy cows a chance to pay their way and prove their worth? What is a reasonable chance for man to give a dairy cow?

First—Since men largely control the matings of cattle, we are in duty bound in the first place to mate animals of known production, good type and plenty of vigor with one another, if the offspring is to be expected to produce milk at a profit.

Second—Granting that the first necessity has been carried out and the young animal has been properly fed to the production age, we must feed that animal in such a way as to give her a chance to produce milk at a profit. How can this be done? Briefly this: Every animal requires a certain amount of food to maintain body heat, life, and to repair the worn out parts of the body. To feed this amount of food is not giving the cow a chance to produce at a profit. We must feed in addition to this amount of food, an amount out of which we may rightfully ask the cow to prove what she can do. This food must be suited to the demand expected of her, and it is this part of the daily ration which will not only pay for itself, but will pay for the food consumed in maintaining life itself, the body heat and the repair of worn out parts. Just how much additional food over and above the maintenance ration can be fed will depend not only on the constitution of the cow, but upon her inherited ability to convert this food to milk. Here is where good breeding shows its value. It is quite possible for two farmers having equal quantities and qualities of feed to feed this to cattle of equal good type and breeding, and yet one farmer may sustain a loss, and the other a profit. It can be done in this way. Farmer A. may keep 50 cows and

the feed available will simply supply a maintenance ration. All the incidental expenses are going on, and the cows are getting no food out of which they can produce much milk. A loss results. Farmer B. keeps half the number of cows, but they consume an amount of feed equal to that consumed by A's 50 cows, and half the feed goes to produce milk alone, and half to maintaining life. These cows, if the proper kind, will produce a profit.

Third—Men must use all the intelligence at their disposal to see that the milk produced is marketed to the best advantage and in the best possible condition. If this has been done, we may then be prepared to deliver judgment on the cow.

### Towns Boomed by Books.

Many seaside and inland resorts advertise their attractions but the best advertisements come from works of fiction, particularly in England.

Tourists still follow Lorna Doone to Exmoor, and Marie Corelli's "Mighty Atom" sent thousands of visitors to Ilfracombe and Combe Martin.

"David Copperfield" and "Bleak House" did much for Yarmouth and Broadstairs. Thackeray's novels revived the glories of Brighton, while H. G. Wells' romances have done for Sandgate and the Folkestone coast what Clark Russell and Clement Scott did respectively for Deal and Cromer. The Yorkshire moors have had thousands of visitors since Halliwell Sutcliffe and William Riley took their local color from them, and Allen Rain's novels sent similar numbers to Wales.

The Isle of Man owes an immense debt of gratitude to Sir Hall Caine; while everybody knows that before Scott wrote "The Lady of the Lake" very few people knew even the name of "The Trossachs."

The world has taken the word luxury, which used to be considered one of the seven deadly sins, and made it one of the chief things to be desired. The Bishop of Truro.

### Stronger Than Death.

In the British House of Commons there was revealed recently a story of comprehending friendship fit to stand beside that of David and Jonathan or of Damon and Pythias or of Carle and John Stuart Mill.

During the recent struggle in Ireland two life-long bosom friends, Mr. O'Higgins and Mr. Rory O'Connor, were led by their political convictions into rival camps. O'Higgins accepted the Free State treaty and eventually became Minister for Home Affairs in the new government. O'Connor thought the men who accepted the treaty were traitors to their country.

Subsequently Rory O'Connor was arrested, charged with being implicated in fortifying and defending the Four Courts in Dublin, as a result of which action many lives were lost. The minister found himself face to face with the duty of condemning to death his old friend, who had been best man at his wedding. The spirit of justice said, "Your friend must die." The heart of the friend pleaded, "Save him!"

After a terrible experience the spirit of justice conquered, and O'Higgins signed the death warrant. As the end drew near it was he that suffered the greater agony. Yet what could he do? There were no extenuating circumstances.

Rory O'Connor met his punishment unflinchingly, proud to die a martyr for his country. He had no word of reproach for O'Higgins; and when his will was read it was found that he had left all his money to the friend by whose order he had died!

What an idol of duty, friendship and understanding charity!

## FOR MOTHERS OF YOUNG CHILDREN

Mothers are quick to praise anything which brings health and comfort to her little ones—any medicine that will make the baby well and keep him well will always receive hearty recommendation from the mother. That is why Baby's Own Tablets are so popular. Thousands of mothers, throughout the country, not only use them for their own little ones but are always delighted to be able to recommend them to other mothers. Thousands of mothers have proved Baby's Own Tablets to be without an equal in relieving their little ones of any of the minor ailments which arise out of a derangement of the stomach and bowels. Baby's Own Tablets are the ideal laxative—easy to take but thorough in action. They banish constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers; expel worms and make the teething period easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



Disillusioned.

Mr. Pester—"You must think I'm made of money."

His Wife—"I did think so when we were first married, but I soon found out it was all counterfeit."

### A Song of Ploughing.

I will go with my father a-ploughing To the green field by the sea, And the rooks and the crows and the seagulls Will come flocking after me.

I will sing to the patient horses With the lark in the white of the air, And my father will sing the plough-song That blesses the cleaving share.

—Joseph Campbell.

When I am asked: "Do you really think the League of Nations will avoid war?" I am inclined to answer, "Do I think that a spade will dig a certain piece of ground?"—Lord Grey.

The best Tobacco for the pipe

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## NEW BROADCASTING SYSTEM.

### Experiments With Noncarrier Waves Prove Many Advantages of This System.

Success of the noncarrier wave system of broadcasting which was developed by H. A. Brown and C. A. Keener, members of the University of Illinois, is announced as positive after another series of tests which bore out the results of more than a year.

The elimination of "fading" is an added feature of the new broadcasting system which now seems possible. In the last series of tests, instruments which accurately measured the curve of audibility of both the carrier wave system and the new noncarrier system were set up a distance of 100 miles from station WRM, the university's radiophone with which the experimental work is carried on. These instruments showed the usual fading when the old system was used, but did not vary a particle when the noncarrier was employed. However, this advantage is not yet being claimed, because it has not been subjected to enough tests to establish it as a fact.

Previous advantages which were claimed for the system and which the final tests show as outstanding over the system now in general use include increased sending efficiency, more selective tuning at the receiver with greater possibility to tune out local stations, opportunity to cover greater distances and the elimination of all sorts of sounds which are impressed on the carrier wave and which only perfect modulation at the transmitting end and perfect detection at the receiver can eliminate.

The suppressed carrier or noncarrier system differs from the present type of broadcasting in that the carrier waves go out only when a note is sounded or a syllable spoken. Between notes or spoken words, the carrier wave does not go through the air. That is, the sound and the wave on which it rides leave the broadcasting apparatus simultaneously. This interval of time between sounds when there is no carrier wave in the air makes possible the advantages noted.

### Content.

"Why I like My Work" is the subject on which a newspaper of Czechoslovakia recently invited contributions from its readers. One woman wrote: "My life and my work are just the simple, sober humdrum of a good housekeeper. I take my daily life and all its cares simply, as they come, without posing as a martyr. I do not ask anybody to 'understand' me, because I have learned to find an outlet for my creative instinct within my own four walls. I have assumed responsibility for the happiness of those who are near me, with the result that my own troubles retreat increasingly into the background." It would be hard to imagine a woman more content with her lot, and yet before her marriage this woman shrank from the task of homemaker; her ambition was to be a doctor.

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For Sore Throat Use Minard's Liniment

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Covered-in buses will probably be seen in the London streets toward the end of the year. They will have windows to raise or lower, and upholstered seats on the upper deck.

An English farmstead, with prize cattle and poultry, model dairy, and fruit orchard will be a feature of a London food exhibition this spring.

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## EASY TRICKS With Twelve Matches



Here's a trick in which a foolish question has a somewhat canny answer. The trickster throws twelve matches on the table and asks:

"What is the smallest number of matches I can take away and still have nine on the table?"

The answer is "One match"—if the remaining matches are arranged as in the illustration.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

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## WORKING GIRL'S EXPERIENCE

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AND WOMEN NEED

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They Give New Vitality—and more.

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AGENT STIRLING.

## Madoc Junction

(Too late for last week.)

Mrs. Charles Brown and baby Helen of Belleville spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Bessie Bird has been staying with Mrs. C. Gay in Stirling for a few days.

Mrs. Sara Stapley and Mr. Russell Stapley spent Sunday and Monday with friends near Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Fitchett visited friends here last Sunday also Mr. and Mrs. Logne of Belleville were among the visitors here.

Several of W. M. S. members at-

tended the dinner given by the Hal-loway W. M. S. last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. Fitchett, a fine large crowd is reported and all enjoyed the splendid dinner, also the meeting led by the capable Pres. Mrs. Rose who made the visitors feel right at home, the closing prayer was uplifting and should inspire all who attended.

Miss Nellie and Mabel Bartlett of Sidney are visiting Miss Ruby Egg-ton this week.

Miss Vanderwater has been on the sick list again but is back teaching school again this week.

Sorry to report little Jackie Nedham

on the sick list with whooping cough. Mr. J. Bird is renting his farm again and moving to Stirling.

Rev. Mr. Thompson of the Plainfield circuit is expected to preach here next Sunday.

## Sine

(Last week's news)

Mrs. Silvenus Sine is visiting in Belleville and vicinity.

Master Leslie and Willie Preston of Stirling spent the week end with their uncle Mr. Edward Preston.

Mrs. Rollins is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Percy Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donald entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening last.

Messrs. Potter and McMullen are doing custom sawing throughout the neighborhood.

The present soft weather has called a halt to fox hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson of Belleville are visiting their son and family Mr. Gilbert Thompson.

A few of the children here have whooping cough.

The item in the last issue stating that Mrs. J. Wiggins had returned to her home was incorrect, as owing to her visiting other friends we were informed she had returned home.

Services were withdrawn here on Sunday owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. F. Joblin. We sincerely hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Percy Sine and Mrs. Rollins spent Sunday with Mrs. Amy Sine of Harold.

Miss F. Jeffrey is visiting here the guest of Nurse M. Preston.

## Springbrook

(Last week's news)

Miss Lillian MacConnell has gone back to her home near Simcoe after spending several months at her grand parents here.

Master Wendell Thompson had the misfortune to have his face quite badly cut on Saturday last while playing with his little brother.

A large number from the village and surrounding country are taking advantage of the free courses in dress making and millinery under the charge of Miss Lord of Toronto and Miss Owens of Ottawa. A number of young men are also attending the course in agriculture.

Miss Hazel Bateman spent a few days in Stirling last week.

Mrs. Sidney Mason entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Clinton Gay has purchased the shop next T. Rupert's harness shop and is starting a butcher business.

ADVERTISE IN THE NEWS-ARGUS.

## EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Editor, News-Argus.

My attention was drawn to a letter by Mr. Belshaw which appeared in the News-Argus recently asking information as to where the soul is after death. You will agree with me, dear sir, that we could be versed deeply in these things, and still have not the 'new birth' and that 'holiness' without which no man shall see the Lord. You will also agree with me that the Lord will not ask us, what we know about the soul, but will he not ask us why we came in hither not having the wedding garment, if we should neglect to get right with God?

Throughout the Scriptures, from Genesis to Revelations, the departed souls of men are represented as congregating in one vast receptacle, the interior conditions of which differ much in the two Testaments, and vary in each respectively. On their estate the light steadily increases as revelation proceeds, though even its final disclosures leave much obscurity, which only the Lord's coming will remove. It is, however, made certain that the intermediate state is under the special control of the Redeemer as the Lord of all the dead who have ever passed from the world: that those who have departed in unbelief are in the condition of imprisonment waiting for the final judgement, while those who have died in the faith are in Paradise, or rather with Christ waiting for their consummation: and that the universal resurrection will put an end both to death and to the state of the disembodied dead.

Before his own resurrection our Lord adopted the ancient description of the unseen world, using the term Hades, which the Septuagint had invariably employed as the Greek representative of the Hebrew Sheol. But he subdivided it into two departments: the place of Lazarus He called, with the Jews, 'Abraham's bosom' but He does not place the rich man in Gehenna, which had also become the Rabbinical term for the place of final woe. In Hades he lifted up his eyes, being in torments'; but in the same Hades he could see Lazarus though a far off.

The estate of the ungodly may be your question.

Whatever the progress of the disembodied spirit of the saint may be from glory to glory, there is nothing in scripture to sanction the hope of any influences in the intermediate state that shall tend to translate from their dishonour the disembodied rejectors of Christ. In the present day 'the word of God is most keenly scrutinised for any faintest gleam of encouragement. But none is found upon which hope may be surely grounded. Certainly as to the despoilers of the Atonement no language can be more explicit than the testimony of our Lord and His Apostles. And to those who have not deliberately rejected Him of Whom they never heard, the silence of revelation should be our silence. There is no distinct announcement as to the publication of the glad tidings of redemption in the other state to those who have never them on earth. This like many other secrets of that state, is kept hidden in the Divine counsel. 'Son remember' may seem to imply that until the Day of Judgement warning counsel is given for profit, but those words were spoken to one whose condition could not be changed: 'There is a great gulf fixed' and, what is more, the definitive separation is not only ordained of God, but it is also declared to rest upon an eternal disability: 'If they hear not Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead'. The Saviour certainly speaks of one kind of sin which is to be forgiven' neither in this world, nor in that which is to come'; and it might appear that is pardon offered for all other sins. But it is undeniable that the entire phrase was current in the sense of NEVER. Certainly no doctrine can be based on such designedly mysterious words. Undoubtedly the whole tenor of the New Testament teaches us that, as 'There is none other name under Heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved, all who are not saved, must reject that Name in some way revealed to them, but 'He that is unjust, let him be unjust still, and he which is filthy, let him be filthy still, and he that is righteous, let him be righteous still, and he that is holy, let him be holy still.' From this conclusion neither scripture nor human charity permits us to decline. But how that light is to irradiate the dread future we know not, and it is presumptuous even for charity too curious to inquire, this and many other mysteries must be left to infinite love and the infinite wisdom of the Holy Trinity. 'Shall not the judge of all the earth do right'?

W. H. Shadbolt.

## Blairton Items

Well March came in very stormy, but its very warm, but we must fit ourselves for changes which may oc-

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## Victoria Marks New Steamer's Arrival by Dinner to Pioneer of Coast Shipping



Group of Canadian Pacific Officials photographed on board the S.S. Princess Kathleen at Victoria, B.C.—Left to right, top row: W. H. Snell, general passenger agent, Vancouver; Charles Murphy, general manager western lines, Winnipeg; Captain R. W. McMurray, who brought the Kathleen from her builders on the Clyde to her home port at Victoria; J. J. Scully, general manager, eastern lines, and Captain C. D. Nesbitt, marine superintendent, B.C. Coast Services. Seated: Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the company's B.C. Coast Services; Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal; and C. H. Temple, chief of motive power, Montreal. Above, Princess Kathleen in action, and the Canadian Pacific Marine Terminal Building, Victoria, B.C., a handsome new building which does not detract from the beauty of the water front.

The arrival of the new Canadian Pacific coastal steamer "Princess Kathleen" at Victoria, B.C., at the end of her lengthy trip from the Clyde, Scotland, where she was built, was made a public event by the residents of that city. Crowds met the ship when she steamed into the harbor, and the occasion was marked by a civic dinner to Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the Canadian Pacific British Columbia Coast Service, which was attended by two hundred citizens. The Mayor and aldermen of the city were present, as well as representatives of the Provincial Government. The company was represented by Vice-President Grant Hall, J. J. Scully, general manager eastern lines, and C. H. Temple, chief of motive power and equipment, who crossed Canada from Montreal to be present, and Charles Murphy, general manager western lines, Winnipeg. As a recognition of his many years' effort in contributing to the upbuilding of Victoria, Captain Troup was presented with a massive silver tray suitably engraved.

In returning thanks, Captain Troup told the history of the company's coastal steamship service since 1901, when he had taken over its management. At that time it represented an investment of about \$250,000, whereas, he said, it now amounted to well over seven million dollars, while its expenditures in Victoria for equipment and supplies amounted to \$4,000 monthly and Victoria's share of the monthly pay roll was \$65,000. He told of the building up of the fleet, ship by ship, as growing trade warranted. Captain Troup concluded by remarking that the officers and men of the Canadian Pacific were

partners with Victoria and other Canadian cities in building up the tourist traffic and general trade of Canada, and that the future of the country could be assured by co-operation with the company in its national work.

Mr. Grant Hall, who represented President E. W. Beatty, told of the company's history and of its building as a national institution at the time of Confederation when it contracted to build the line and operate it in perpetuity. He told of the steady improvement of the property by the expenditure of many millions until it represented an investment of considerably over a billion dollars, and he referred to the company's reputation for efficiency and courtesy of its officials that has gone round the world. "The Canadian Pacific," he said, "is the largest contributor to the finances of the nation through taxation, and we expect to be judged and patronized on justification given in service."

Mayor J. C. Pendray, speaking of behalf of the city of Victoria, acknowledged the work done by Captain Troup and the company for Victoria and the Pacific Coast generally, while C. P. W. Schwengers, president of the Chamber of Commerce, in presenting the silver plate to Captain Troup, paid a tribute to the vision and determination of the men who had founded the Canadian Pacific. Dr. MacLennan, Provincial Minister of Finance, spoke on behalf of the Government and referred to the company's war record which, he said, was one of the brilliant illustrations of the readiness of the company to co-operate for the public good.

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## Progress Made in Raising Rink Fund

### Over 300 Shares Sold in Partial Preliminary Can-Women's Institute Buy 20 Shares.

That Stirling will have a covered skating rink was the considered opinion of several of the leaders in the project, as voiced at the meeting held last evening. The committees appointed to make the preliminary canvass reported a total of \$3020, or 302 shares subscribed, practically all of which was sold in the business section of the Village. In addition to this, Mrs. R. P. Coulter and Mrs. W. S. Martin, representing the Women's Institute were on hand to purchase 20 shares on behalf of the Institute. This action of the ladies greatly encouraged the workers and for the next two weeks the committees will complete the canvass of the Village and surrounding district. Several special means of disposing of stock were discussed and will be tried out. Everyone was urged to interest their friends in the purchase of stock. There will be a meeting two weeks from to-night when it is expected that the full amount will be subscribed and steps can be taken to form a limited liability company and proceed with the erection of the rink. There is a lot of real work to be done yet, but it certainly looks as if it will be done thoroughly. Reeve C. B. McGuire was in the chair.

## February Report of S.S. No. 13 Rawdon

Sr. IV—Lena McMaster, 70.  
Jr. IV—Violet Cook, 78; Gordon Bailey, 77; Earl Cranston, 44.  
Sr. III—Edwin Faulkner, 60; George Runnalls, 57; John Fleming, 56; Billy Heath, 39.  
Jr. III—Lottie Fleming, 65; Helena Runnalls, 50; Irene Cranston, 42.  
Jr. II—Paul Stewart, 98; Arthur Fleming, 81; Carl Fleming, 71; Donald Heath, 52.  
Sr. I—Kietha Fleming, 92; Lorne Bailey, 82.  
Pr. "B"—Donald Stewart, 97; Melbourne Cooper, 85.  
G. I. Glover, teacher.

## COMING EVENTS

"MARTHA MADE OVER" WILL be presented at Stirling Methodist Church, on Monday, March 23rd, at 8 p.m. by Mt. Pleasant Dramatic Club. Be sure to see it. Admission 35c. and 20c.

A DRAMA IN 3 ACTS ENTITLED "The Old Fashioned Mother", in the Orange Hall, Springbrook, Friday, March 20th, by Springbrook Dramatic Club. Admission 35c and 25c.

BAZAAR AND HOT SUPPER ON Tuesday, March 17th. Methodist Church. Auspices Ladies Union. Admission to supper 35c and 25c.

## Fairs Association

### Arrange Fair Dates

Belleville—Sept. 1-4.  
Addington—Sept. 11-12.  
Stirling—Sept. 15-16.  
Napanee—Sept. 15-18.  
Peterboro—Sept. 15-19.  
Frankford—Sept. 17-18.  
Brighton—Sept. 18-19.  
Shannonville—Sept. 19.

## Small Deposits

Do not delay a savings deposit on account of its small size. Small regular deposits soon amount to a substantial sum.  
One dollar opens a savings account at any branch of the Union Bank.



**UNION BANK OF CANADA**

Stirling Branch—W. S. Martin, Manager  
Branch also at Springbrook

## R. A. Elliott Sells Out to T. Cranston

Mr. R. A. Elliott sold his restaurant and ice-cream parlor and all his interests in the building to Mr. Thos. Cranston this week. Mr. Cranston took possession yesterday morning and will continue the business along much the same lines as when it was controlled by Mr. Elliott. This is the most important business change on Mill street for two or three years and everyone will wish Mr. Cranston success in his new venture.

## Minto Farmers' Club

Minto Farmers' Club have commenced in this issue of the News-Argus, a service that it is hoped will prove a great convenience to the club members. It is virtually a brief bulletin for members having seed, stock, or farm equipment that they desire to sell, or exchange. Then too, transactions of the club will be chronicled from week to week. In this issue it is only a one-inch ad on the local page. It will be found there every week, larger at times than others, of course, but occupying the same position. It is a convenient and economical means of conveying such information to members and one that similar organizations might find it worth while to emulate.

## Standing of Pupils Public School Room III

Report for Room III, February 1925  
Jr. III  
Thelma Green, 75; Margaret Wall, 72; Geneva Wright, 57; Bobbie Wright, 57; Georgia Green, 57; Grace Wright, 54; Leslie Preston, 50; Thomas Prince, 36; Muriel Vanderwater, 30; Evelyn Lindenfield, 28; Albert Thompson, 24.  
Sr. III  
Marion Bedford, 90; Charles Faires, 84; Donald Ward, 81; Freddie Joblin, 79; Harry Vandervoort, 76; Arthur Gould, 75; Vivian Wanamaker, 73; Colin Fox, 73; Willie Preston, 69; Willie Bowen, 68; Frances Cook, 65; Mildred White, 65; Willie Thompson, 65; Doris Tanner, 64; Robert Letts, 64; Donald Scott, 64; Mary Griffin, 54; Edna Thrasher, 41.  
Florence Marshall, Teacher.

## WEEKLY TEST EXAMS

### FOURTH CLASS

History—L. Faires, 97; F. Faires, 85; I. Martin, 78; F. Gould, 74; L. Anderson, 72; H. Cooke, 68; B. Belshaw, 65; P. Shea, 60; R. Barrett, 59; M. Geary, 57; M. McKee, 48; H. Bailey, 44; J. Shadbolt, 41; C. Marshall, 36; P. Bailey, 33; Jack Bailey—  
Arithmetic—L. Martin, 100; P. Shea, 97; H. Cooke, 88; R. Barrett, 80; C. Marshall, 63; J. Bailey, 59; F. Faires, 59; J. Shadbolt, 59; L. Faires, 57; B. Belshaw, 56; H. Bailey, 54; M. McKee, 50; M. Geary, 48; L. Anderson, 42; F. Gould, 41; G. McKee, 40; P. Bailey, 38.

## Stirling Women's Institute

The W. I. regular meeting was held on Friday, 6th, with a fair attendance. After several items of business were concluded, Mrs. Geo. Lucy gave a reading on "How to cook a husband", and Mrs. J. McGee one on "How to keep young". Arrangements were then made for a grandmother's day on April 3rd, with the grandmothers to give the program. A social hour will be spent together. Let all the grandmothers of the W. I. be prepared to take part in the program.

## Farmers' Club Hold Annual Oyster Supper

### Successful Event Held at Springbrook Last Week—Fine Programme of Music and Speeches

The Farmers Club of Springbrook put on their annual oyster supper last Tuesday evening at their rooms. A large crowd attended and did ample justice to the many good things that the ladies had provided.

After the supper the guests repaired to the Orange Hall where a good programme of solos, readings, speeches was given. Among the speakers were Mr. Currie of Strathroy and Rev. Clare. Both outlined briefly the benefits of the club and what U. F. O. legislation did for Ontario while in power. The Temperance question was also given a good sifting and some of the most vital questions of the day were brought before the people. Mr. Baker delighted the audience with his solos in his usual good style and he was heartily encouraged.

At the close of the programme the hall was cleared of seats and the young people enjoyed a few hours dancing. The Ketcheson Orchestra furnished the music. The proceeds netted the club nearly fifty dollars.

Those who attended surely enjoyed the whole proceedings and felt that they had more than received good value for their money.

## Take No Chances With Inferior Seed

### It is Illegal to Offer Seed for Sale Without Certificate of Grade

This note is submitted for the benefit of those who are unable to obtain satisfactory seed grain in their own neighbourhood and so must look elsewhere for their supply.

One is indeed fortunate who can secure his seed requirements locally since locally grown seed, taken from productive fields, is likely to be well adapted to the district. The introduction of seed from outside is associated with certain risks and farmers contemplating making such purchases would be well advised to consult non interested officials such as the Secretary of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Ottawa, or those connected with our Experimental Farms or Agricultural Colleges.

Speaking generally, good seed may be secured from or through two main sources viz:

1. Reputable seed growers who are members of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association.

or

2. Direct from reputable seed dealers.

Since our leading seed dealers as well as our larger growers of seed operate in close touch with the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, the Secretary of this Association whose office is at 114 Victoria St., Ottawa, is the one official best able to advise re the reliability of a given lot of seed.

### BUY GRADED SEED

Since it is now illegal in Canada for anyone to offer for sale seed of any kind which is not accompanied by certificates of grade, buyers should see to it that such certificate is on hand. This regulation does not apply to farmers selling direct from their own premises to other farmers, a fact which may easily result in the delivery of seed which should not be sown. Wherever practicable, therefore, buyers should insist on knowing the grade to which the seed they are buying belongs and they should be thoroughly acquainted with the definition of each grade. To this end, a copy of the Seeds Act, 1923, should be available for ready reference. Copies of this Act may be had, free of charge, by writing to the Dominion Seed Commissioner, 117 Victoria St., Ottawa, Ont.

The superior producing ability of good quality seed of a variety which is well adapted to thrive on soil peculiar to a given field is recognized fully by hundreds of our best farmers. Unfortunately, this all-important truth has not yet penetrated the minds of all who attempt to grow crops, a fact which is accountable in no small degree for the relatively low yield which many of our farmers continue to reap each year.

Send your out-of-town friends this copy when you have finished with it, they will appreciate it.

## Stirling League Pays Visit to Bethel

The last meeting of the Epworth League was held on Thursday night at Bethel and was under the direction of the Devotional Department.

The programme consisted of a Missionary reading by Miss Myrtle Reid, a chorus by the boys and a selection on the mouth organ by David Lamb. The topic was taken by Dr. Walt who discussed at length the duties of the Leaguers in God's great harvest field.

After a few words by Mr. Barrett the meeting was taken over by the Bethel League who entertained their guests right royally.

## Mrs. John A. Heath AN APPRECIATION By James Scott

In the early morning of Thursday, March 5th, 1925, there passed away, in Rawdon Township, a very highly esteemed resident in the person of Mrs. John A. Heath. She had reached the ripe age of eighty-two years and two months and was predeceased by her husband about twenty-three years ago. She was also predeceased by two sons Willie A. aged nineteen years and Jno. B. aged fifteen years, also one daughter, Locina (Cina), Mrs. Ed. McConn, aged 27 years. Her maiden name was Alguire and she was "born of the flesh" in the Township of Seymour, and afterwards, through the faithful preaching of the gospel in a little near-by school house was "born again" of the Spirit at the early age of fourteen years and thence forth humbly yielded herself to be led by that same blessed Spirit and the result was a beautiful and exemplary Christian life. She was of a quiet and unassuming disposition and will be greatly missed in the church and in the community, where she ever faithfully, both by deed and word, proved herself a true follower of the Lord. And so when the end came it was peaceful as a summer's evening, because "The eternal God was her refuge, and underneath were the Everlasting Arms". Duets, 33, 27.

She leaves to mourn her loss one sister, Mrs. Duncan Stewart of Rawdon Township, who is the only surviving one of the family of ten sisters. One daughter, Mrs. Mark Short of Rawdon Township and one son C. U. Heath on the homestead with whom she resided. She also leaves five grand children and four great grand children.

The memorial service was held on Saturday, Mar. 7th, in Bethel Church, her place of worship, which she had helped build upwards of fifty years ago and which was now suitably draped for the occasion.

Her Pastor, Rev. Fred J. Joblin ably assisted by Rev. C. W. Barrett of Stirling, conducted the service and delivered a very comforting and helpful discourse founded on Isa. 51, 11. "The redeemed of the Lord shall return and come with singing unto Zion; and everlasting joy shall be upon their head: They shall obtain gladness and joy and sorrow and mourning shall flee away". In the course of his remarks the Rev. gentleman paid a very high and well deserved tribute to the memory of the departed. Following the Sermon the choir very beautifully rendered one of her favorite hymns, viz: "My heavenly home is bright and fair" etc. and we, responding from our heart would say:—

"Thank God to-day for the pilgrim feet,  
Which have trodden the last of the  
toilsome way:  
For the strong; for the frail, for the  
pure and sweet,  
Who have left for ever this crumbling  
Clay:  
Who have changed earth's trial and  
loss and moan,  
For the victor's palm and the voice  
of praise,  
Who dwell in the light of the great  
white throne,  
And join in the songs which the ransomed  
raise."  
Amid a profusion of flowers, bedewed with tears, the remains were laid to rest in the family burial plot in the Bethel cemetery in the sure and certain hope of a glorious resurrection morn.

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## Excellent Debate at St. Andrew's Guild

### Decided that School Influences Character More Than Home-Methodist League Pay Fraternal Visit.

On Monday night a friendly visit was paid St. Andrew's Guild by a goodly deputation from the Methodist League. Miss Myrtle Spencer, second vice-president occupied the chair, and the scripture reading was taken by Miss Florence Marshall. Mr. Barrett then led in prayer, followed by a brief summary of the topic for the evening by Dr. M. W. Sine. The subject was, "The Christian attitude towards wealth and poverty". After quoting certain figures and giving definitions of the terms used, the speaker concluded by saying it was the law of love which should be the Christian's guide, and he who was a good neighbor was showing the correct attitude.

The main feature of the evening was a debate on the subject, "Resolved that the school exerts more influence in the moulding of character than the home". The affirmative was upheld by Miss Findlay and Mr. Atkin, and negative by Miss McAllum and Dr. Godard. Both sides were ably defended, the leader of the affirmative speaking entirely without notes, and the other speakers using them sparingly. The school won out on the merits of the logical training it gives the child and the amount of his waking time which it supervises. The judges were Mr. S. W. Anderson, Mr. Barrett and Dr. M. W. Sine. Mr. Harry Hulin, president of the Methodist League conveyed greetings in a nicely-rounded little speech, in which he expressed his pleasure at being present.

A piano solo by Mrs. Cain and a duet by Nellie Tulloch and Hazel Burkit completed the programme.

## Carleton Judging Team Wins

Carleton Co. young farmers' judging team is champion of Ontario. The final contest was with Wellington County team and was held in Toronto last week. The winners led their rivals in horses, dairy cattle, sheep and swine, but came second in beef cattle. The total score of the winning team was 2177 points out a possible 3000 and only 15 points more than the losers.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. William Keegan and daughter wish to express their sincere thanks to their friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy and assistance in their recent sad bereavement. They also thank the choir of Methodist Church for their kind assistance in the service.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Heath wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their assistance and kindness shown during their bereavement.

## Voting in Progress at St. Andrew's

### All Details are Arranged at Meeting of Congregation on Tuesday—Poll Will Close March 24th.

At a meeting of the members of St. Andrew's Church, Stirling, on Tuesday evening arrangements were completed for taking the vote as to whether or not the congregation will enter the United Church.

Mr. L. Meiklejohn was elected chairman and Mr. Ed. Reid, Secretary. Hours for voting at the church were arranged as follows:

Tuesday, March 10th, 8.30 to 10  
Thursday " 12th, 7 to 9  
Tuesday " 17th, 3 to 5  
Thursday " 19th, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9  
Tuesday " 24th, 8 to 9

The poll will close on Tuesday the 24th of March and the result announced that evening. The ballot will be a secret one, but the poll clerk and the scrutineers will be allowed to visit members who are bed-ridden for the purpose of recording their votes.

Mr. M. W. Sine was appointed poll clerk and Messrs. L. Meiklejohn and W. Harlowe and Thos. Matthews and Fred Ward scrutineers for the union and anti-union sides respectively.

A letter from Rev. R. Simpson, was read, urging the members to maintain a spirit of harmony and to vote according to the dictates of conscience as to what would please and advance the best interests of Christ and His Kingdom.

A number of those present cast their votes following the meeting, but the heavy thunder storm caused many to hurry homeward.

## Mr. Mills Bereaved

Mr. J. D. Mills, local manager of the Bank of Montreal was summoned suddenly to his old home in Tillsonburg last Thursday. It will be recalled by many of our readers that Mr. Mills' mother was severely burned last fall. She was making a brave recovery, but last week suffered a relapse and passed away during the afternoon a week ago to-day. Mr. Mills returned to Stirling yesterday.

## BIRTHS

BRADY—At Hards Station, Mar. 2nd, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brady, a son, (Howard Hilton).

SALISBURY—On March 6th to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Salisbury, a daughter, (Dorothy Jean).

HOWARD—At Stirling on Sunday, March 8th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard of Frankford, twin boys. All well.

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## Woman's Realm

### HOW TO CHOOSE YOUR MATERIALS.

The odds may be against you having a becoming dress even before you put your scissors in the goods. By its very texture a fabric may flatter you or be unkind. The weave gives a certain character. Materials have a distinct personalities of colors.

Materials with shiny surfaces are generally trying. It takes an almost perfect type of woman to wear them well. Slippery taffetas that reflect patches of light and glazed satins that glisten are just as conspicuous, even in black and dark tones, as brilliant red is in a dull soft goods. They attract attention to the proportions of the woman who is wearing them. They are downright unkind to the too-stout or the too-thin woman. Dull crepe silks that fall into graceful folds are easier to wear.

In woollens, mohair has the same quality of reflecting light and holding the eye. Linen too, when it's washed, especially if it is starched, is what I call brazen. These goods demand a pleasant face and smooth contour of form to carry them off. Woollens that are soft, as cashmere, kasha and fine twills, are easy to wear. Cotton crepes, voiles and gingham tissue are materials that drape easily, take graceful folds and are generally flattering.

Harsh, wiry materials have touchy personalities. They are not particularly friendly to the stout woman or the woman with the plain face. Organdie, while it is delightful in itself, when made up bulges, makes flippant angles and breezy curves that only youth and a pretty face can walk off with successfully. Hard-twisted serges poke out too sharply for the stout woman or the painfully thin.

A faille silk, habutai, basket-weave woolen, not too heavy, fine flannel and cotton broadcloth have more amiable characters. They will fall where you want them and stay there. They are not so apt to advertise the fact that your hips are large, your shoulders broad or your chest flat.

Bulky materials are friendly to all except the stout woman and the short woman. Little women look as if they are carrying such a load when they have on a big coat of a thick, spongy woolen. Thick goods actually add to one's size, and that is reason enough for the stout woman to leave them alone.

Thin, transparent materials, chiffons and georgettes, if handled rightly, are a blessing when it comes to veiling the too-thin or too-fat arm. But be sure you really veil them. One thickness of very heavy chiffon may do it, but two are better.

Certain materials look cool. They are the smooth ones—linen, cotton broadcloth, crisp organdie, mohair, habutai and silk shirtings. Linen isn't really cool, but there is a lot of it bought for summer—just on its face value.

On the other hand, wooly, spongy goods look warm. It is not pleasant to the eye when the thermometer is creeping upward.

I want to tack on a little color note that I have jotted down for you. It is flesh-pink, delicate flesh-pink. Even flannels are being made up in it. It is lovely in voile too, and is especially becoming to the woman with gray

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## Love Gives Itself

THE STORY OF A BLOOD FEUD

BY ANNIE B. SWAN.

"Love gives itself and is not bought."—Longfellow.

### CHAPTER VIII.—(Cont'd.)

Judy, quite in the dark, rose to help with the spirit-lamp which had suddenly become obstreperous. Between them they managed to get it put out. Then Judy took her cup from Mrs. Carlyon's hand, and sat down to enjoy her tea.

"You mean your daughter's engagement to my cousin, I suppose? We hope that the wedding will not be delayed on account of my father's death. It is the last thing in the world he would have wished."

"But—my dear!" said Mrs. Carlyon, a trifle helplessly, "it is broken off! Haven't you heard?"

"Broken off?" Judy's hand began to tremble, and she set her cup down rather hastily. Mrs. Carlyon nodded, and leaned across the table, her face looking a little pinched and wan under the rouge.

"I can't tell you how or why. All I know is that it is broken. It was done on Sunday. Peter—I suppose I ought to say Mr. Garvock now, as he isn't going to be my son-in-law!—came as usual last Sunday after lunch, and Carlotta and he went out for a walk. Carlotta came back, quite soon, all by herself; and when I came down at tea-time, she told her father and me that she wasn't going to marry him."

"Did she explain why?"

Mrs. Carlyon shook her head.

"No, and with Carlotta you can't ask. A dear good girl she is to me, Miss Rankine, but there are times when I feel that I don't know her one little bit! Sunday was one. I asked had they quarrelled and said that lovers' tiffs didn't last, and that, more than likely, Peter would be arriving on Monday morning with some handsome present from Glasgow—the way men do, when they've been silly or tiresome without any good reason. But she just smiled a little at that—the sort of smile that makes you feel about a minute old, and that she has lived a hundred years!"

All unconscious of the word portrait she was drawing of her daughter, Mrs. Carlyon babbled on. "And she has been so queer ever since. Just as if she was shut up inside, like a box. Of course, we're very sorry about it. At least I am, for the Professor doesn't take much interest now. As I tell him sometimes, a beetle interests him a lot more than human flesh and blood. But I like Peter. He has been more than kind to me, and, of course, there'll be no visits to that lovely place now, but just grubbing on in the old way."

Judy listened, looking as if half-stupefied, her imagination slowly piecing the story together.

"Then you haven't any idea of the reason?" she said quickly. "There isn't anyone else?"

Mrs. Carlyon shook her head quite decidedly.

"That I can vouch for! How could there be anyone else? We hardly know a soul here. I have never lived in a place so cold and unsocial! Now at Cambridge we had a lovely circle—some came for the Professor, some for

Carlotta, and some for me. But here everybody behaves as if we were not quite respectable! Is that how they are in Scotland always? Do they try to freeze strangers out of their country?"

"No, no," murmured Judy. "Only, you see—unless one knows something about people—"

"Well, it seemed as if the more they got to know about us, the less they liked us," continued Mrs. Carlyon pathetically. "My husband thinks it is because I belonged to the Profession. He is a very old-fashioned man, and he made me give it up when we married, and he never would allow Carlotta to have anything to do with the stage. Why, he was even quite cross about these poor little theatricals in the Town Hall last Christmas! And I think it a pity! You saw how well she could act? I know she would be a great actress, and she would love it too! But just because her father is like that she has never gone into it."

"That is very sweet of her," said Judy, "for I believe, with you, that she could make a great actress; and there are not many women who would be content to live like this, knowing of the possibilities in their own nature."

"Do you think that?" asked Mrs. Carlyon with a kind of wistfulness, which somehow made Judy want to weep. "I think women are giving up things most of the time, and sometimes I can't help asking whether it is really worth while. It makes me selfish, I think. Not that I have anything to complain of in my husband. He is the best and dearest! But I did give up for him—how much he hadn't an idea! And, of course, a woman who has been out in the big world, and who knows what life is, finds it difficult to be content in a space so narrow as this. If it weren't for Carlotta I should let go—"

Judy, amazed at all this revelation, and infinitely touched by it, leaned forward and gave the pretty hand a little pat. It was a gesture so spontaneous, so caressing, that it warmed the heart of the woman sitting opposite to her.

"I'm sure I don't know why I should have spoken to you like this, my dear, when I never have seen you before! It's your face and your pretty eyes! And it was very good of you to come and see me to-day. Of course, I understand that it was only because you thought Carlotta was going to be related to you. But I hope that even though she is not, you won't leave off coming to the Clock House."

"Oh, no; I won't do that. Then you think there is no chance of the marriage taking place?"

"None. If you had heard Carlotta telling us you would have known that it was all quite at an end."

"I am sorry. And I am sure that my cousin Peter will feel it very much."

"Oh, yes. He was in love with her more than it is good for a man to be—though it is always best when the man cares most," observed Mrs. Carlyon, with another touch of worldly wisdom; "and I'm sure it was Carlotta's fault. Between ourselves, I don't think she is capable of caring for a man, for instance—as much as I cared for my old dear! I can't conceive of Carlotta giving up things for any man!"

"Ah, one never knows, Mrs. Carlyon!" said Judy, as she rose. "From what you tell me of your daughter, and from what I saw myself, I should think just the opposite. You see, it is really quite difficult to know people we live beside. I sometimes think we know less about them than we do of the people we meet quite casually outside."

"That is true, too. Why—are you going already? Won't you wait for a few minutes longer until Carlotta and her father come in? They can't be long now, for, although she said she would take a look at the shops, she hadn't anything really to keep her in Glasgow after she did her business at the Registry Office."

But Judy, dreading inexpressibly a meeting with Carlotta Carlyon until she had adjusted her thoughts, said she would not wait, but would come another day.

She bade good-bye to Mrs. Carlyon very kindly, and when the kind old face was uplifted for a kiss, she did not deny it. She had the delightful effect on Mrs. Carlyon of making her appear perfectly natural, human, and lovable. But that was Judy's way. Generally, it was quite easy for her to give everyone the benefit of the doubt, which is the only reasonable way for any human being in this world to live; besides being undoubtedly one of the short-cuts to happiness.

But as Judy walked away from the door of the Clock House the fragments of the conversation slowly crystallizing in her mind, she found it a little difficult to feel kindly towards Ann at the moment.

(To be continued.)

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### WHEN WILL TEA PRICES DROP?

A shortage in the world's tea supply, in the face of an enormous demand, is forcing prices up to very high levels. Tea merchants realize, however, that tea at a dollar a pound only brings the day of a drop in price so much nearer. Tea growers are making such tremendous profits that over-production is bound to come at any time.

### Average Wages of Farm Help in 1924.

Only slight changes, either in the direction of increase or decrease, are indicated in the average wages paid to farm helpers during the year 1924. For the whole of Canada, the average wages per month of farm helpers during the summer season of 1924, including board, were for men \$62, as compared with \$61 in 1923, and for women \$42, as against \$39. The average value of the board per month is placed for men at \$22 (\$21 in 1923) and for women at \$19 (\$17 in 1923). By the year, the average value for males, including board, was \$636, as compared with \$611, and for females \$461, as compared with \$422. The value of the yearly board is given as \$256 for men (\$239 in 1923) and \$217 for women (\$191 in 1923). By provinces, the average monthly wages for men and women respectively in the summer season, including board, were in 1924 as follows, the averages for 1923 being given within brackets: Prince Edward Island, \$43, \$28, (\$43, \$28); Nova Scotia \$55, \$30 (\$56, \$32); New Brunswick, \$53, \$31 (\$59, \$32); Quebec, \$56, \$31 (\$59, \$32); Ontario, \$57, \$38 (\$59, \$39); Manitoba, \$59, \$40 (\$62, \$42); Saskatchewan, \$66, \$44 (\$65, \$44); Alberta, \$66, \$45 (\$70, \$48); British Columbia, \$75, \$50 (\$76, \$53).

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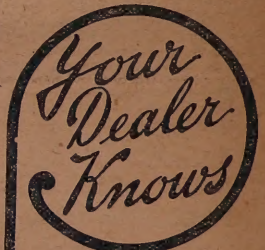
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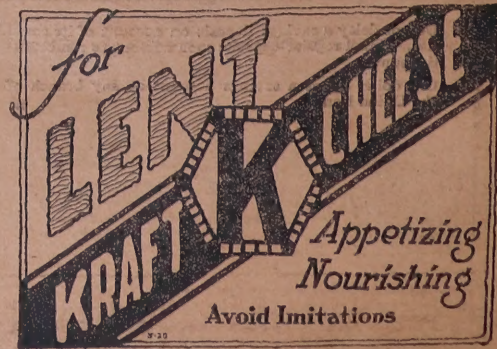
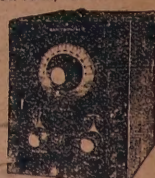


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## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario.

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

What wealth there is in Northern Ontario one can only roughly estimate. It is stupendous. The money already invested by industries in these unorganized territories amounts to something like \$93,000,000. This territory being known as "unorganized" is under the direct administration of the government, and the health of the workmen, their housing accommodation, sanitary conveniences and everything that pertains to their general well-being comes under the control of the Provincial Department of Health. Through the medium of its Sanitary Inspectors, the inspection of camps is carried on, and even the construction of the camps themselves is now carefully supervised. The health of the workers is attended to by contract physicians, whose duty it is to treat the sick, adopt measures for the prevention of sickness and accidents, supervise the water supply and general sanitation. This supervision is assured because the contract physician has to make a monthly sanitary survey of the camps in order to make a report to the government. Much more can be done in the way of preventing sickness and accidents, but at present a start has been made in trying to demonstrate that prevention is even better than cure. In that fact lies the grinding principle of industrial medicine which aims to promote and maintain a high standard of health among workers in every kind of industry.

Just as an example of the construction work that is carried on, the following items may be of interest. They include power development, railway and road construction and paper mill construction. Power development at Indian Chutes, costing \$1,500,000; power development for the Hollinger Mines at Island Falls, with 1,300 men, \$3,000,000; power development at Sturgeon Falls, north of Timmins, with 500 men, \$1,000,000; construction of eighty miles of power transmission lines, \$1,000,000. The approximate mileage of railway construction from Cochrane north to Island Falls, the Kirkland Lake Branch line, the branch from Cassidy to South Lorrain, together with the Long Lac cut-off, is 115 miles at an average cost of \$20,000 per mile, amounting to \$2,300,000.

Road construction camps operated by a branch of the government under the Dept. of Lands and Forests, cut

out of the virgin bush 360 miles of new roads besides maintaining old roads in existence. The expenditure in connection with this work last year was approximately \$3,000,000. The entire sanitary supervision of all camps in connection with this work is carried on by inspectors of the Provincial Dept. of Health.

The total cost of construction is roughly \$12,000,000. The total investment in Saw-Mills, Pulp and Paper Mills, etc., amounts to \$34,350,000. There are also forty-eight mines scattered over the province. By placing a rough value on surface work only, the amount of money invested is \$17,000,000. The total figures representing each industry are:

Lumbering	\$20,000,000
Mining	17,000,000
Construction	12,000,000
Pulp, Paper and Saw-Milling	34,350,000
Total	\$92,350,000

Nearly 60,000 men are employed in these industries in the unorganized territories, which constitutes a health problem of the greatest magnitude.

### Injunction Against Imitator of Salada Label

The Exchequer Court of Canada rendered judgment on February 16th last in favor of the Salada Tea Company by issuing an injunction against another tea firm restraining them from using a label which resembled closely that used on packages of Salada Tea. The defendant company was also ordered to destroy all copies and designs.

#### Bring It Back.

Old Woman—"Are you sure that the century plant will bloom in a hundred years?"

Florist—"Positive, ma'am. If it doesn't, bring it right back."

When in reading we meet with any maxim that may be of use, we should take it for our own, and make an immediate application of it, as we would of the advice of a friend whom we have purposely consulted.—Colton.

## EASY TRICKS A Possible Impossibility



Take off your coat and show a piece of tape about three yards long. Knot the ends together and put your right arm through the loop and your right hand in the lower pocket on the right side of your vest. Ask a spectator to take the loop off your arm while your hand remains in your vest pocket. It seems impossible, and after a few trials the spectator will admit that it is. However, it can be done as you will demonstrate.

Put your left hand through the front of your vest and through the right armhole and grasp the tape. Pull it through the armhole, put the loop over your head and then through the left armhole from the inside the vest. With your left hand reach up under the vest and grasp the tape. You will now discover that if you draw the loop down, you can step out of it—and a possible impossibility will have been accomplished.

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### Why Darkness is An Aid to Sleep.

Darkness is a big factor in inducing sleep because it is difficult to keep the eyes open in the dark. Waking is not normally possible without thought. The fatigue products of the body, scientists explain, are concentrated in the brain, and the latter gradually dulls and becomes sluggish.

When scientists speak of how "fast" a person sleeps they mean how deep is his sleep. Not only is it possible to measure sleep, but there are different means of doing so. One method is by dropping a steel ball. The ball is dropped at increasing distances—four, six, eight, ten, twelve inches, and so on—until the sleeper becomes conscious of the sound and awakens. In this way scientists can find out how "deep" was his sleep. Another method is to touch the sleeper with an electric wire noting the intensity of the current used.

At a certain time each night you go to a certain room set apart as a bedroom, and, whether really tired or not, automatically undress, turn out the light, go to bed relax your muscles, close your eyes, and presto!—in a few moments you are asleep. To go to bed is a habit; sleep is nothing more than auto-suggestion. Science may go into more details which require technical knowledge, but the foregoing is about the most lucid explanation of the phenomenon known as "sleep." It is acknowledged that sleep is due to brain anaemia or poisoning. The question is, How is this condition produced?

To quote one scientist: "Sleep is a sequence of psycho-physical phenomena, originally more or less consciously associated, now running off automatically, like a ball rolling in a groove." People prepare for sleep as a matter of habit. Auto-suggestion does the rest.

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### Spring Song.

There was a child who tried to run Through all the fields and fields of spring

For always the next creek in the sun Might be the one for following. He ran by leafless willow trees And only wanted one bird note, One wild, wild shout of birds to ease The pent-up shouting in his throat.

He came upon an old haystack, Its yellow mounds away in ruin, And there he lay upon his back And wondered if he could explain Why what he found he did not seek, And what he sought he could not find.

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### Butter and Cheese Output

According to a statement issued by the provincial Bureau of Statistics of Quebec there were 65,596,627 pounds of butter made in the province in 1924, compared with 59,194,767 pounds in 1923. The number of pounds of cheese made last year was 41,661,813 as against 46,890,579 in 1923.

The butter produced in 1924 had a total value of \$23,325,897 and the total value of cheese was \$7,643,326, which gives a total of \$29,969,223, an increase of \$582,718 over the preceding year.

During the past ten years the number of butter and cheese factories in Quebec has decreased by 430, but the production of creamery butter has increased from 36,621,491 pounds to 65,596,627, or by 79 per cent. The production of cheese which in 1915 was 54,217,113 pounds dropped to 41,661,813 last year, or a decrease of 32 per cent. The total value of the two products, in 1915, amounted to \$18,471,501, which, if compared with the 1924 value of \$29,969,223 shows an increase of 62 per cent, in value.—Canada-Week by Week.

### Four-Four Beer

Ontario is to have 4.4 per cent. beer. "The law allows it and the court awards it". Premier Ferguson, Hon. Mr. Nickle and sundry other stars of lesser magnitude assure us that the concession is in the interests of real temperance. So mote it be, but it is interesting to note that the Provincial Treasurer expects to collect over \$2,000,000 next year by a new tax on beverages.

There can be little gained by discussing the motives of the Government leaders in bringing about so drastic a change in a law that they pledge themselves unreservedly to strengthen and support. Charges of betrayal and counter-betrayal will neither correct an error nor right a wrong. Whether or not the new legislation was passed in good faith it seems to us to have in its elements of real danger to the temperance cause. It be-

hooves the temperance forces to be awake and on guard.

### EDITORIAL NOTES

Toronto printers are raising a small corner of the lower regions, because much printing that logically should be done in Toronto is being done in outside towns. If the master printers in that charming little hamlet on the Don would concentrate their energies on their home field, instead of racing around the country running price-cutting competitions perhaps it would be better for all concerned.

Copies of the Public Accounts of Ontario were sent to every editor in Ontario before the Provincial Treasurer made his budget speech. It was a courtesy which was, we feel sure, generally appreciated.

### AMONG THE BOOKS

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### Rod and Gun

The stories in the March issue of the Rod and Gun in Canada are sure to excite the interest of every sportsman. Staking All on Horse Sense, by E. Dalton Tipping, Western Experiences by Donald Graham, The Tenderfoot by Roderick O'Neill, are a few of the entertaining stories contained in this number. Canada's Wild Buffalo by Maxwell Graham is an article brimful of interest and valuable information on this subject. In addition there are the regular stories—That Tent and Thirty-five Below by F. V. Williams, Slightly Mistaken by Martin Hunter, Some Adventures With the Great Horned Owl by Bonnycastle Dale, and Emperor Geese and Queenly Swans by J. W. Winslow, which cover a variety of subjects and the Departmental editors, W. C. Motley, R. P. Lincoln, C. S. Landis and Mr. U. Bates have brought their departments up to their usual high standard, helping to make the March number one of the best yet. Published monthly by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

## Banning the Bookmakers for Good

By Our Ottawa Oracle

Ottawa, March 11th. Spring is approaching. The weather recently is no doubt satisfying evidence of the approach of the vernal season, but there was further evidence submitted as soon as the House of Commons opened last Monday, by W. O. Good, Member for Brant. He introduced his annual subject of horse racing, and spring and summer seemed close at hand. Mr. Good, who in addition to being a practical farmer is a graduate of Toronto University and a man of considerable intellect, is not so much concerned about betting at the race tracks as he is about the gambling activities that centres around the bookmakers when the ponies are away from Canada down at the tracks in the Sunny South. He wants legislation that will prevent information being published in connection with betting on horse races, except that supplied at race meets. Two years ago Mr. Good urged the same measure and the House endorsed it as they did this year. Then it was given the boot by the Senate when it arrived there for final O. K., and it remains to be seen what action that august body will mete out to it this year. There were four amendments to Mr. Good's motion. The question was one in which the members evinced keen interest for the debate absorbed 437 pages of Hansard and did not end until after midnight, when Mr. Good went to his dwelling place feeling, perhaps, he had scored another victory against an evil that is no doubt becoming common throughout Canada, especially in the cities.

Quite a rumpus was raised on Thursday in connection with the canteen fund legislation. The Government

has over \$2,000,000 which represent profits from the operation of soldiers' and sailors' canteens overseas during the war. It belongs to the members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Last year legislation was introduced in the House providing for certain dispositions of this fund, over which there has been more or less contention. One provision was that \$100,000 was set aside as a central fund to be applied for the creation of a bureau to have charge of the adjustment of soldiers' claims and for rendering other services to returned men or the dependents of those who were killed or died overseas. This bill was given the axe by the Senate last year. Some time ago \$15,000 was paid by order-in-council to the Veterans' Alliance. Hon. Mr. Meighan claimed in strong terms that the Government had exceeded its powers as a trustee of the fund. Hon. Dr. Beland, who by the way was a prisoner in German hands for a long period during the war, decried any betrayal of trust and insisted everything was regular. The Canteen bill is going again to the Senate this session; if it passes the commons which seems likely.

Parliament is forging ahead this year with unusual speed. So far there has been no serious display of fireworks. Election talk has not been heard so much lately, but before the frost is on the pumpkin it seems highly probable that the ballot boxes from the older east to the newer west will be brought out of cold storage to be used for the purpose for which they are primarily intended, one that, even though it is somewhat damaging for business, is nevertheless interesting.

## Sparks from a Preacher's Anvil

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Ahab said, I will give thee the worth of it in money. Naboth said, The Lord forbid it me that I should sell the inheritance of my fathers, I Kings 21:23.

I  
Life's best things cannot be bartered nor sold. There are many things that God gives "without money and without price". Not because they are of little value, but because earth does not have the price in all its wide expanse. "Earth gets its price for what Earth gives us", but earth cannot buy Heaven's wares: Virtue, innocence, honor, integrity, faith, patience, kindness, or best of all, Love. God gives us these things, as he gave a patrimony to the Israelites, and He "forbids" us to sell them. Priceless things are unpurchasable and therefore unsaleable. Ahab did not know his man when he tried to buy Naboth's vineyard. He tried to buy him out. Well done Naboth. It was nobly said, "The Lord forbid it me, that I should give the inheritance of my fathers unto thee."

II  
The cynic says "Every man has his price". And he believes it because the cynic has sold himself and he thinks every man is as cheap as himself. Ahab found in Naboth a man who could not be bought. There are many Naboths to-day, men who are loyal to the past and who feel responsibility for the future; they are conscientious objectors to the sale of the inheritance of their fathers. Naboth's vineyard was a small affair wedged in between Ahab's broad acres and he thought he could buy it for a kitchen garden in some new ambitious lay out of his domain.

III  
He thought he could use this man as a tool for his scheme of expansion. It was an insulting proposition. Memories crowded that vineyard and the future heirs would be poorer if he was false to his trust. The Lord forbid it me. The Lord told me never to sell it, therefore I cannot not even to a king. "I was once asked by a land purchasing syndicate in the West to use my friendship with the half-breeds in the Peace River country to purchase their farms for much less than their value on a very liberal commission. It meant wealth to me. I was never more insulted in my life time than when a rich man asked me to sell my soul—Heaven's priceless gift, for

money. Even Jesus was met and insulted and asked to give away the great unpurchasables at a price. All these things will I give you if—, But He would not. The Lord forbids him. Ahab tried another scheme. Another vineyard will I give. Another!

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead" as to take another bit of land for that which has been the inheritance of his fathers. What has made Scotland great? Its soil? No. Scottish soil is hard to turn, it is cold and hungry stuff. No, but there poets have sung their songs, philosophers have pondered, preachers have preached the decrees and the love of God, martyrs have bled and burned, soldiers have battled for freedoms cause, covenants have withstood the tyrants' steel; and generations of mothers have cradled over cradles the songs of these poets, and psalms the covenants sang and retold the tales of the brave and true, until now the very soil of Scotland is consecrate. "Let the man born in old England love the dear old land the most,

For what spot a man is born in, of that spot he loves to boast. Let the Scot look back toward Scotland with a longing in his eyes, And the exile from Old Erin think her green shore Paradise Native born are we, are we Canada, dear Canada And the pride thrills thro' and thro' us 'Tis our birthplace—Canada. Let us preserve it inviolate for posterity.

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## Local and Personal

We hope our readers will consider this column their very own. We always appreciate receiving items of local interest by telephone (59 post card or by a friendly call at the office.

Mr. Earl Lucy is in Belleville this week serving on the Grand Jury.

Note A. L. Connor's ad on this page (The Fuller Brush Man) 27a

Stirling Cheese Box and Basket Co. will start operations next Monday.

Measles are still prevalent in the Stirling district, several new cases being reported this last week.

Mrs. Wm. Rennie of Burnbrae is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Blissette and Miss Hume.

We are pleased to hear that James Anthony is getting better and we hope will soon be back at his work again.

Miss Carrie Griffin has returned home after spending a week in Belleville the guest of Mrs. E. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery are spending a few days in Toronto on their way home from Florida.

Bring us your order for hand made boots of French Kip. High class material and workmanship. W. H. Anthony at Fred McKee's, Stirling. 27c

Bazaar at Methodist Church from 4 to 10.30 p. m. St. Patrick's night. Attractive booths—Sample sale, Made in Canada, Fancy goods, Caudies, etc. Come early. 27a

A heavy thunderstorm passed near Stirling on Tuesday evening. No damage has been reported near the Village, but a residence was struck and burned at Nerwood.

The maple sugar season has opened, a number of farmers in the district have tapped their trees. It is one of the earliest seasons for sap on record in this section of the province.

Mr. O. A. Stratton, of Shannonville visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Reid for a few days this week.

Mr. Bidwell Sine celebrated his 85th birthday yesterday. Mr. Sine is hale and hearty and his many friends will wish him ever increasing joy and happiness for the remainder of his sunset years.

There are several excellent works on art in Stirling Public Library. See the brief list of a few of these in the library columns of this issue.

You will enjoy seeing "Martha Made Over" at the Methodist Church, on Monday, March 23rd. Auspices Y.P. League, by Mt. Pleasant Dramatic Club. 27a

The Maple Leaf Mission Band met on Monday last with a very good attendance, and the program was interesting and worth while.

Bazaar and hot supper under auspices of Ladies Union, Methodist Church, March 17th. Opens at 4 p. m. Supper at 6 p. m. Come and enjoy yourself. 27a

Mr. Morden Bird has had two large trees removed and the remaining trees and shrubs on his spacious lawn on Front St. thoroughly pruned this week.

Hot Supper served at Methodist Church at 6 o'clock on St. Patrick's night, March 17th, next Tuesday—Remember the date. You will be welcome. 27a

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH KYLE LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF STIRLING IN THE COUNTY OF HASTINGS, WIDOW DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 50 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O. 1914, chapter 121 that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said Elizabeth Kyle who died on or about the 20th day of January, A. D. 1925 are required on or before the 31st day of March, A. D. 1925 to send by post prepaid or deliver to C. B. McGuire, Stirling, Ontario the Executor of the last will and Testament of the said Deceased their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars in writing of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and nature of the security, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

DATED at Belleville this 16th day of February, A. D. 1925.

B. C. DONNAN,

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Belleville, Ont.

Solicitor for Executor.

## Judicial Sale

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order for Sale made by the Supreme Court of Ontario in an action of Hawkins vs. Heath and bearing date respectively the 23rd day of June, 1924, and the 6th day of February, 1925, there will be sold by public auction, with the approbation of the Local Master at Belleville, at his Chambers in the Court House at the City of Belleville on Monday the 30th day of March next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable farm property:

PARCEL NO. 1—The West half of Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon in the County of Hastings, containing 100 acres more or less.

PARCEL NO. 2—The East half of said Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon aforesaid containing 100 acres more or less.

Upon Parcel No. 1 are erected a large brick dwelling house fitted for two tenants, a large frame barn, 40 by 70, and a large frame shed for agricultural implements together with the usual other farm buildings—piggery, henhouse, etc.

Upon Parcel No. 2 are erected a frame dwelling house, size 24 by 36, two storeys, and a frame barn about 36 by 50.

The buildings on both parcels are in fair state of repairs as well as the fences and both parcels are well watered.

The property will be sold subject to reserve bids fixed by the Master, and in two parcels or en bloc at the option of the Master.

Terms of Sale: 10 per cent. down and balance within one month thereafter without interest.

In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the said Court.

For further particulars apply at the law offices of B. C. Donnau, Court House, Belleville, and R. D. Macaulay, Campbell Street, Belleville. Dated the 23rd day of February, 1925.

S. S. Lazier,

Master.

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The East half of Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon in the County of Hastings containing 100 acres more or less.

Upon the said premises are erected a two story frame dwelling house about 24 by 36 and a large frame barn size 36 by 50, all in a fair state of repair.

The premises are well watered and the fences in fair condition.

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## Sunday Services

### Methodist Church

PASTOR—REV. C. W. BARRETT

SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1925

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—The Two Worshipers.  
7 p.m.—Jonah (An Arrow)

Tuesday 7.30 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

CARMEL, SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH

MONDAY, 8 p.m.—Epworth League

Service—2.30 p.m.

### Presbyterian Church

MINISTER—REV. ROBT. SIMPSON

SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH

10 a.m.—Sabbath School  
Services will be conducted at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. by Mr. L. Outerbridge, of Queens' University

Build on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Rawdon Circuit Notes

REV. FRED G. JOBLIN, Pastor.

SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1925.

Bethel—10.30 a.m.

Wellman—2.30 p.m.

\*Mt. Pleasant—7.00 p.m.

Meetings of S. S. Board of Management at Wellmans, Tuesday evening; Bethel, Thursday evening; and Mt. Pleasant—Friday evening.

Bethel, Teacher Training Class at Miss Rupert's on Monday evening. League on Thursday.

Wellmans, League Tuesday evening. Mt. Pleasant, Friday

Subjects—(1) Merchant of Venice. (2) Trip through Holy Land; both illustrated with lantern slides.

## Notice to Creditors

All persons having claims against the estate of PETER E. RUPERT, late of the Township of Rawdon, in the County of Hastings, merchant, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned, solicitor for Nettie Elizabeth Rupert and James McClellan, Executors and Executor respectively of the said estate, on or before the 4th day of April, A. D. 1925, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto.

Dated the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1925.

ROBERT D. MACAULAY  
Bank of Commerce Chambers, Belleville, Ont., Solicitor for the Executors. 26d

## Notice To Motorists

All tires repaired at Half Price during the month of March.

DAN DERRY

## Sine

Mr. and Mrs. Potter of Frankford were week end visitors at the home of their son, Mr. Harry Potter.

Sorry to report Miss Mae Tucker ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heagle of Hoards spent a couple of days with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. C. M.

## Classified Advertisements

### FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR SALE—One new invalids rubber-tired wheel chair. Mr. F. A. Blockford, Springbrook. Phone 87-21. 26d

FOR SALE—2 Ayshire Bull Calves of good type and quality. Apply S. S. McCOMB, Bonarlaw. 23c

FOR SALE—Sweet Clover Seed. Government tested No. 1. Also Seed Barley. Vernon Matthews. Phone 101-12. 21f

FOR SALE—Horse and buggy. Horse rising 9 years, quiet, suitable driver for woman. Apply C. E. Nix, Stirling. 26c

FOR SALE—Tom Turkeys, Geese and Ducks, all young birds. O. A. C. 72 Oats, O. A. C. 21 Barley. Apply ERNEST SPENCER. 24d Phone 81-12

FOR SALE—Quantity Seed Oats and Barley. Donald A. Sharp, Phone 98-5 27a

FOR SALE—3 pure bred Holstein Bulls from good producing dams and extraordinary sire whose dam tested over 4 per cent. fat. Tuberculin tested. Also Century oats for seed B. E. Hagerman, phone 44-2 27c

FOR SERVICE—Holstein Bull, at his barn, Belleville Road. Apply Roscoe Wright. 27a

FOR SALE—5 White Shoats, about 70 lbs., Yorkshire. Phone 81-12, Ernest Spencer. 27a

## SALE REGISTER

AUCTION SALE—Farm stock and implements, Wed., March 25th at 1 o'clock, at Lot 10, Con. 1, Huntingdon. Jas. Chatterton, Owner. Henry Wallace, Auctioneer. 27a

## Sine

Mrs. Donald is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sine visited at Mr. Geo. Sine's, Harold, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Sine attended the funeral of the latter's brother at Toronto on Feb. 28th.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. H. Dunkley and family in our midst.

Word has been received from Mrs. Lily Burgess, who is wintering in sunny California, that she will leave for home in a few weeks.

Mrs. J. Roy is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. B. Reid visited in Springbrook on Sunday.

Sine school was closed Monday owing to measles in the neighborhood. The latest victims at time of writing are Albert Warren and Leslie Thoup.

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC

ALTERATIONS IN SERVICE

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Train No. 602 from Toronto now operates to Havlock instead of Tweed. The service between Tweed and Havlock being temporarily discontinued. The following trains will stop at Ivanhoe and Bonarlaw to pick up and let off passengers for Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto only.

From Toronto to Montreal: Bonarlaw.....1.13 a.m. Ivanhoe.....1.27 a.m.

From Toronto to Ottawa: Bonarlaw.....3.02 a.m. Ivanhoe.....3.18 a.m.

From Montreal to Toronto: Ivanhoe.....4.20 a.m. Bonarlaw.....4.34 a.m.

From Ottawa to Toronto: Ivanhoe.....3.18 a.m. Bonarlaw.....3.35 a.m.

## CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

TIME TABLE

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## For the Boys and Girls

### GRACIE'S BIRTHDAY GIFT.

"What a beautiful doll! How Gracie would like it! I wish I could buy it for her birthday."

This was what Jack Hunting said to himself as he stood outside the shop window and looked in at the glittering display of articles provided for the delight of children.

It certainly was an elegant doll. It had the reddest of cheeks, a perfectly lovely complexion, blue eyes and blonde hair. Moreover, it was very tastefully dressed.

"I wonder how much it costs," thought Jack. "I suppose it's a great deal."

Finally he concluded to go in and inquire.

"What's the price of that doll in the window?" he asked of a young lady clerk.

"Which one?"

"That handsome one."

"A dollar and a half. Shall I show it to you?"

A dollar and a half. Jack might as well have asked the price of a diamond ring; for there was about as much likelihood of his being able to pay for it.

Some of my young readers may be surprised at this. To them a dollar and a half may be a small matter; but Jack Hunting was a poor boy and his mother had a hard time to procure the necessities of life. A dollar and a half went a good way in that modest house.

Besides Jack, there was a little girl, now near her fourth birthday. A charming little girl Grace Hunting was, as pretty in her way as the doll.

Like all little girls, she was fond of dolls. She had one, given her a year ago second-hand by a neighbor's child, but now in a bad state of dilapidation. The head had been wrenched from the shoulders, the dress was in rags and it was certainly true that that doll had seen its best days. Many years ago it might have been young and charming, but it was no longer.

Only the day before, Gracie had asked her mother if she might have a doll for her birthday.

"I will try if I can get you one, dear," said her mother, sighing.

Well she might sigh; for she had not even a cent to spare after paying the necessary bills of the household.

This was not a positive promise, but Gracie took it as such, and made more than one allusion to her expected gift.

"I wonder how cheap I can get a doll, Jack?" said his mother.

"I don't know, mother. Shall I inquire?"

"I am afraid Gracie would not be satisfied with a very small one, and the large ones are too dear."

"Maybe you could get one for twenty-five cents, mother."

"Even twenty-five cents is a good deal of money to us, Jack."

"That is true, mother, but Gracie's birthday only comes once a year."

Jack determined to inquire; and it was with this object that he looked in at the window, as we have just described.

"Shall I show it to you?" continued the young lady behind the counter.

"No," answered Jack, slowly. "It wouldn't be any use, for I couldn't pay as much as that."

"The holidays are over," said the young lady, "and we may be able to reduce the price a little. You may have it for a dollar and a quarter. Shall I put it up for you?" she continued, persuasively.

"No, I guess not," returned Jack, slowly, "at least not to-day. I wanted it for my little sister's birthday, but that doesn't come till next Thursday."

"You had better take it now, as it's the only one we have of the kind. It might be taken by someone else if you wait."

"I can't take it now. I haven't the money," said Jack. "Just let me look at some cheap ones."

Some were shown him, as cheap as twenty-five cents, but Jack took no fancy to them. Whatever he looked at he could not help comparing with that beautiful blue-eyed darling, whose beauty surpassed all the rest.

"I may come in another day," he said, as he slowly left the store.

"I wonder if there is any way of earning a dollar and a quarter before Thursday?" thought Jack. "There's plenty of things I can do if they would only bring money."

Jack lived in a large town—that is, a large country town. There might have been seven or eight thousand inhabitants.

As he passed by a comfortable-looking house he espied a pile of wood in the yard.

"That wood needs to be sawed and split," thought Jack. "I wonder whether I could get the chance?"

He saw the occupant of the house in the yard and went in.

"Good morning, sir!" said Jack, politely.

"Good morning!" growled old Paul Dudley, who had the reputation of being one of the meanest men in town.

"Have you got any business with me, boy?"

"Would you like to hire me to saw and split that wood?"

Paul Dudley surveyed the boy a moment in silence. Jack was thirteen, not tall of his age, but strong and sturdy.

"Can you saw and split?" he asked.

"Yes, sir."

"I ain't goin' to pay a high price, mind ye. I can't afford it. Might as well cut the wood myself."

"I wouldn't charge much, sir," said Jack, eagerly—for he thought he saw a chance.

"If you'll cut it on my terms, I'll let you try it," said Paul.

"How much is that?" said Jack.

"Two cents an hour," answered the mean man.

Jack's countenance fell. That would make only twenty cents for ten hours' work, and he knew he couldn't work so long as that. Besides, there were only three days, and at best, even if the job lasted as long, he would only be making sixty cents—not quite half sufficient to buy the doll.

"Well, boy, do you want to try it?" asked Paul Dudley.

"I guess not," said Jack soberly.

"Why not?"

"You don't pay enough."

"I ain't goin' to throw away my money," snarled Paul Dudley.

Jack thought not.

Walking a little further, he saw a boy with a fishing pole—a boy he knew.

"Are you goin' fishin'?" asked Jack.

"No, I'm goin' home. I've got a headache."

"Will you lend me the pole?"

"Yes, if you'll take care of it."

"All right."

So Jack started off, with the pole in his hand and hope in his heart.

He hadn't lost sight of his object. He thought, if he caught a good supply of fish, he might sell them at the hotel, and make a little sum in that way.

So he walked down to the river. The day was cloudy and overcast—just such a day as fishermen consider favorable for fishing. This may account for Jack's good luck. He caught some perch and pickerel—quite a mess—strung them on a stick, and started for the hotel.

It was a country hotel, but patronized by a few summer boarders, who came there for health or pleasure, or both combined.

Jack went into the office, where he found the landlord.

"Wouldn't you like to buy some fish?" he asked.

"No, I guess not. I don't think any of my boarders care for them."

Jack was turning away, disappointed, when a gentleman present spoke:

"That is where you are mistaken, landlord. My wife has been longing for some fresh river fish."

"That alters the question," said the landlord; for the speaker occupied his best rooms, and was his most profitable guest. "Jack, what do you want for that mess?"

"Never mind, landlord," said the guest. "This is an extra, and I will pay for it, if you'll have it cooked. Then the rest of your guests can't complain. Here, my boy!"

He drew out a half-dollar and a



Gultvach, Briton pilot, at Audierne, France, demonstrates a new rope ladder he invented to be used in life-saving work. After launching his boat in the surf, he carries his son up the breakwater on his back.

quarter from his pocket, and handed it to Jack, who was quite overwhelmed by his generosity.

"You are paying too much," he said.

"Never mind about that. Can you bring some more, day after tomorrow?"

"Yes, sir," answered Jack, eagerly. "Very well. Then I will pay you the same."

Jack was overjoyed. The financial problem seemed solved. The day after tomorrow was Wednesday, and Grace could have her doll, after all.

He said nothing to his mother, lest the plan should possibly fall through. But it didn't. On Wednesday, Jack was equally fortunate, and when he had been paid, he walked boldly into the store and called for the doll. He was afraid at first it might be gone, but there it was, as lovely as ever.

It was done up, and Jack carried it home.

In the evening he displayed it, much to his mother's surprise.

When Gracie woke the next morning, there, with its beautiful head resting on the same pillow, was the charming doll.

"Oh!" she ejaculated in delight. Jack and his mother, who were close by, heard the exclamation, and he felt repaid for his efforts by his little sister's rapture.

Years have come and gone since then, but little Gracie has never had a more welcome birthday gift, though the family are in much better circumstances, and Jack, now a young man, is a clerk on an excellent salary.

—By O. Augusta Cheney.

### A Prayer.

If I have faltered more or less  
In my great task of happiness;  
If I have moved among my race  
And shown no glorious morning face;

If beams from happy human eyes  
Have moved me not; if morning skies,  
Books, and my food, and summer rain,  
Knocked on my sullen heart in vain;

Lord, Thy most pointed pleasure take,  
And stab my spirit broad awake;  
Or, Lord, if too obdurate I,  
Choose Thou before that spirit die.

A piercing pain, a killing sin,  
And to my dead heart run them in!  
—Robert Louis Stephenson.



Necking?  
He—"Grace and I entered an endurance contest in dancing."  
She—"How'd you come out?"  
He—"Neck and neck."

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When the tank's contents are discharged into the "blow pit" beneath, the binding material of the wood has been dissolved and the long, natural fibres left. After thorough washing and screening it is fit to join the ground pulp and serve as muscles and tendons in the paper.

One Mill Has 1,800,000 "Circulation."

One plant produces in a single day sufficient paper to supply one twenty-four-page paper piece to about 1,800,000 subscribers. A single day's output of this mill unrolled on the countryside would cover a 1,400-acre ranch.

Rivers are the maidservants of the mechanical caterpillars that spin paper. They serve in three ways—as power and transportation, and they supply water for pulp. Some modern mills use electricity exclusively. On the St. Maurice River's broad back are carried annually logs enough to make a raft 4 feet wide, 4 feet high and nearly two miles long, or nearly two-thirds of the river's total length, all to supply one mill's maw. At the river's edge are located water pumps that would meet the needs of a city.

Logs Ground Like Pencils.

Colossal machinery, capable of grasping the river's might, looms with in the modern "newsprint" mill. From great piles of pulp wood clear of bark and cut to four-foot lengths, automatic conveyors bring logs to the grinding room. The principle of this room's task is simple—it is that of a pencil pushed with its long side against a whirling grindstone. But the grindstone of a paper mill looks like the wheel of a terrible juggernaut—it is solid sandstone five feet in diameter and nearly as broad on the face. Such stones are generally hitched in pairs on an axle whose cross-section is as big as a large pie plate. Batteries of huge, whirling electric motors drive the great stones. Each stone reduces to pulp seventeen cords of wood a day. A full-flowing creek plays over every grinder constantly to carry away and cool the pulp.

Newsprint cannot be made from ground wood alone, for this wood has no long fibres to hold like muscles when the metropolitan presses tear at the web. To three-fourths ground wood pulp must be added one-fourth "sul-

## Music in the Home

"The Advantages of Music in the Home."—First Prize Essay, "B" Class, in the Canadian Bureau for the Advancement of Music's Essay Competition—By Richard Whittaker Reville (Age 12 yrs.), 3 Church St., Jr. IV. Grade, Victoria School, Brantford.

From my earliest youth I have been reared in a musical atmosphere, as my elders have always been firm believers in the expenditure of money for a musical education for every member of the family. In our home we all sing and play on one or more instruments, in addition to having a good phonograph, which enables us to hear all the best artists at a trifling cost.

All children should be taught to play on some instrument, whether they show marked ability or not, as a knowledge of music develops the faculties of sight, touch, hearing and improves the memory, thereby developing the brain and sense of rhythm.

Money expended on a musical education is well spent, often bringing in large returns in after years. Students have been known to earn in a few years far more than was expended on their tuition, playing in orchestras, teaching, piano tuning, being organists and choir leaders.

Money invested in a good piano, phonograph or radio will often do more to keep a family united than any other medium. For those who cannot play themselves and who prefer piano music, the new electric piano player is proving a great source of pleasure.

One can hear the compositions of all the great modern composers played perfectly, as well as the old masterpieces.

For a large family, I cannot think of anything nicer than for each member to study a different instrument,

thereby enabling them to get splendid effects, and when they have become sufficiently accomplished they could play in public for remuneration, as small orchestras are in constant demand.

Many families who have not invested any money in musical instruments for the house, or in educating themselves in music, often regret exceedingly the time and money wasted in movies, theatres and amusements which give but temporary pleasure, and leave no lasting benefits. As a prominent man remarked to me when he heard I was writing this essay, "I wish I had invested the money I have spent on my motor car and its upkeep in musical instruments for my house. I would now have something to show for my money."

It seems to be an open question to day whether we people in Canada could not be better off if we spent more time and energy in developing our taste for good music, instead of tearing madly from one frivolous amusement to another.

In regard to the value of music in the home, a great author aptly says, "We cannot gain experience by being brought into contact with the experiences of others, nor can we know music by reading about it. Only by taking it into our hearts and homes, by admitting it to our intimate companionship, can we approach a knowledge of the art that has enriched so many lives."

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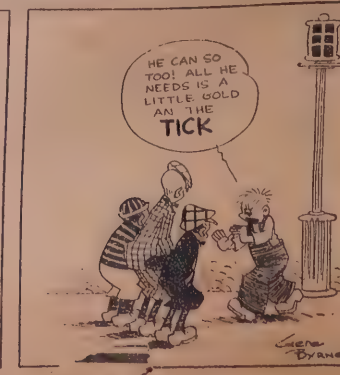
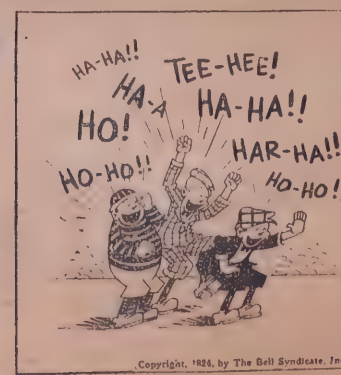
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### REG'LAR FELLERS



### THE "TICK" IS THE HARDEST PART—By Gene Byrnes



## Canada from Coast to Coast

St. John, N.B. A large scheme for the erection of coking plants at such centres as St. John, Toronto, Montreal, Quebec and Halifax, is now being considered by the Federal Government. The results of the work done at the coking plant in Hamilton during the past year have been highly encouraging and have caused the Dominion authorities to seriously consider extending the plan in other centres.

Quebec, Que.—Dairy establishments in the Province of Quebec to the number of 1,628 last year produced 65,696,227 pounds of butter and 41,661,813 pounds of cheese, as compared with the 1923 output of 59,194,767 and 48,890,579 pounds respectively, according to a report issued by the provincial bureau of statistics. The total value of these two products in 1924 was \$29,969,223, an increase of 62 per cent. as compared with the 1915 figures.

Toronto, Ont.—Toronto received large dividends during 1924 on the money it spent in bringing conventions to this city and entertaining them while here. The money spent in this way was \$10,000. According to the annual report of the Toronto Tourist Bureau 107 conventions were held here, attended by 16,886 people, who stayed an average of 3 days in the city and spent approximately \$1,391,550. This means a return of \$70 for every dollar spent on these conventions.

Winnipeg, Man.—A promising trade in wheat flour is being built up in China by Western Canada mills. Last year Chinese importers bought over a million barrels of Canadian flour and present prospects are that the importations for 1925 will exceed those of last year.

Moos Jaw, Sask.—Contracts have been let by the Saskatchewan Creamery and Ice Cream Co. for the erection of two new creameries, one at Outlook and the other at Broadview, building to commence as soon as weather permits. This company already owns and operates over a dozen creameries in the southern portion of the province.

Edmonton, Alta.—Seventy dollars an acre, the peak price in several years, was paid by a Belgian for a quarter section of unimproved land near this city. Belgians are buying considerable farm property in this district. A syndicate from that country has purchased Kenneth McLeod's 300-acre farm, six miles west of Edmonton, for \$20,000.

Victoria, B.C.—Practically the whole of the whale meat canned last year in British Columbia was sold in the settlements between Liberia and Congo, South Africa, where it is considered a great delicacy. West Africa has thus solved the problem of finding a market for whale meat after the oil has been extracted, for whale meat has become a really popular viand in that part of the world.

## KING GEORGE BEARS HEAVY BURDEN

### NEWS OF ILL HEALTH STARTLES COUNTRY.

#### Dependence of National Administration on Hereditary Chief Executive Suddenly Felt by Public.

With King George's impending departure from the realm on a Mediterranean yachting cruise, which it is hoped will restore his health after a severe attack of bronchitis, the British people have realized, almost for the first time, how dependent the whole administration of the country is on Britain's hereditary chief executive.

Normally the British people are inclined to take their monarchy more or less for granted, as they do most other permanent factors of their lives. It is only when, as now, that factor is put out of gear that the full extent of the load resting on the shoulders of the King is appreciated, and crowds wait all day long outside Buckingham Palace for news of his progress toward recovery.

This is illustrative of the nation's concern over his temporary breakdown under the heavy burdens of state. The bulletin, signed by three royal doctors, which first disclosed the gravity of King George's illness is coincident with the recommendation that he spend his convalescent period on his yacht Victoria and Albert as soon as he is able to travel. This brought his subjects sharp against the discovery that probably the hardest worked man in his country scarcely ever takes a vacation.

#### Menace Seen in Climate.

As a London newspaper pointed out in commenting on the King's trip, "there comes a time in a man's life when England's winter climate ceases to be a bad joke and becomes a definite menace to health." Although King George for several years past has been subject to winter colds, he has never followed the example of his grandmother and father, Queen Victoria and King Edward, both of whom regularly visited the south of France or the German resorts during the winter. Since his accession to the throne almost fifteen years ago King George's absences from the country have been few and far between. Early in his reign he visited India, but since then, aside from his visits to France during the war and his state visit to Rome a couple of years ago, he has never been abroad. The brief vacations which he allows himself from the business of state have been spent shooting in Scotland or on short coastwise cruises in his yacht.

During these trips, of course, he is able to transact the business of state. The present generation of English people, therefore, are only now being educated in the constitutional lore that necessarily comes to the front when the King is scheduled to go travelling. With the improvement of communications the formality with which royal absences used to be invested has largely disappeared, but at the same time the King's absence from the country gives a jolt to the normal administration which steps must be taken to meet.

That elusive but important body known as the Privy Council in particular comes into the limelight on such occasions. The executive government of this country, although exercised in practice by a committee of ministers known as the Cabinet, whose existence is dependent upon the support of a majority in the House of Commons, is vested nominally in "the King in Council."

FUNCTIONS OF PRIVY COUNCIL. This means the Privy Council, a

body of the most ancient origin, instituted in Saxon times by King Alfred to discharge the functions of state now confined to the members of the Cabinet. In the Middle Ages the chief advisers to the King who were permanently about him formed the Privy Council. Now the membership of the Privy Council—with a total of more than 500 persons—in most cases is merely an honorary distinction.

The Council, however, still is technically the country's executive. All administrative orders are signed by "the King in Council." The members of the Cabinet must be Privy Counsellors, and a bunch of councillors therefore was created when MacDonald's Labor administration took office. The reason for that is that the Cabinet theoretically is a committee within the Privy Council, upon which the title "Cabinet" falls when it sits under the King's presidency.

The King personally is the nucleus of the whole administration and he personally summons the Privy Council. When he goes abroad the power of summoning the council must be delegated and, under one form or other, the kingship must be so delegated on this occasion. When King George went to India a formal Council of State was appointed to exercise certain functions of the crown.

During the coming absence of the King the precedent of delegation to a committee of the Privy Council, consisting of the Premier—Stanley Baldwin—Lord Curzon, as President of the Council; Lord Chancellor Cave and possibly the Archbishop of Canterbury, will be followed. Public interest over the question of putting King George's power in commission during his convalescent cruise stresses the closeness with which he has stuck to the job.

It seems to bear out Lord Birkenhead's claim that, "by universal admission, no one ever sat on the throne of this country who has more conscientiously, steadfastly and laboriously contrived to become hereditary president of the destinies of a democratic country."

#### NOVA SCOTIA MINERS ORDERED TO STRIKE

##### Workers Implore Assistance Owing to Destitution and Lack of Funds.

A despatch from Glace Bay, N.S., says:—J. W. McLeod, district president of the United Mine Workers of America, announced Thursday afternoon that a cessation of work throughout the Nova Scotia coal fields has been ordered to commence at 11 o'clock Friday night.

This decision had been reached by the full Executive Board at a meeting held Thursday afternoon and was being communicated to the British Empire Steel Corporation and the Premier of Nova Scotia.

District 26 executive this afternoon issued a general appeal for assistance as follows:

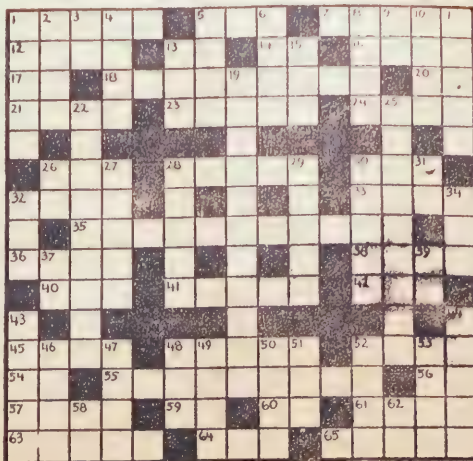
"Owing to the extreme destitution and lack of funds, the miners implore assistance from the country at large."

#### Irish Physicians Benefit by Rockefeller Foundation

Under the new local government act of the Free State, it is announced that the Rockefeller Foundation is offering three traveling fellowships for the position of medical officer of health, says a Dublin despatch. Each fellowship entails a residence in the United States for about eight months, and opportunities for study will be afforded at organized institutions. This is expected to prove a great boon to young doctors who need advanced data for the appointments. The three fellows will be selected by a committee of medical experts.

If we waste to-day, we can never make it up, for each day will bring its duties as it comes.—Confucius.

## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



### SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

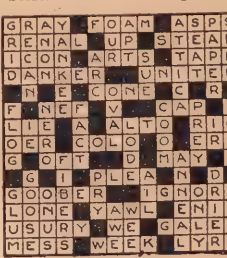
#### HORIZONTAL

- 1—A small job
- 2—Pronoun (possessive)
- 3—Implied
- 4—Girl's name
- 5—Thru
- 6—Exclamation
- 7—Printer's measure
- 8—One who bears the blame
- 9—Upon
- 10—Wealthy
- 11—Small Spanish horse
- 12—Perfect mentally
- 13—Nonsense (slang)
- 14—Very small insects
- 15—Consumed
- 16—A grain
- 17—Indentation
- 18—Understands
- 19—Suppose
- 20—An English school
- 21—Possesses
- 22—Direct
- 23—Put on clothes
- 24—A helper (abbr.)
- 25—Caper
- 26—Poisonous reptiles
- 27—Legal term
- 28—Those who put money in business
- 29—Island near New York (abbr.)
- 30—End of a dog
- 31—Prefix meaning "formerly"
- 32—Prefix meaning "in"
- 33—Supplied with shoes
- 34—Old
- 35—Boy's name (abbr.)
- 36—Last name of author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin"
- 37—White collar slave
- 38—Prefix meaning half
- 39—Upon
- 40—Hasty
- 41—Anticipate
- 42—Anger
- 43—Performs
- 44—Abbr. for name of a business organization
- 45—A metal
- 46—Religious belief
- 47—Bend
- 48—100 degrees in the shade
- 49—Battles
- 50—Partly burned wood (pl.)
- 51—Those who bear witness to
- 52—Leave
- 53—Frozen rains
- 54—Yawns
- 55—To clip
- 56—Summed up
- 57—Half an em
- 58—House pet
- 59—Light brown
- 60—Royal Highness (abbr.)
- 61—Onward
- 62—Portions
- 63—Apart
- 64—Settle
- 65—Cultivate
- 66—Hall
- 67—The one following
- 68—Piece of news
- 69—Peruse
- 70—Abbr. for assistant
- 71—Farm tool
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- 73—Exclamation

#### VERTICAL

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#### Solution of last week's puzzle.



#### The Mist.

The mist  
Comes like an insidious host,  
And seizes the sleeping city.

The street lights,  
Through their glasses,  
Strain out  
Like the weak and watery eyes  
Of old professors  
Searching the book of the skies.

The lake gapes  
Like the open mouth  
Of a wondering old man.

The mist  
Crushes the melting moon,  
Buries the unsympathetic stars,  
And smears the masterpiece of Night  
With wet, gray paint.

—Samuel M. Sargent Jr.

"Happiness is not perfected until it is shared."

## THE WEEK'S MARKETS

### TORONTO.

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$2.18 1/4; No. 2 North, \$2.11 1/4; No. 3 North, \$2.08; No. 4 wheat, \$1.98.  
Man. oats—No. 2 CW, 71c; No. 3 CW, 66 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 67 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 64 1/4c; No. 2 feed, 61c.  
All the above c.i.f. bay ports.  
Am. corn, track, Toronto—No. 2 yellow, \$1.45.  
Milfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included. Bran, per ton, \$30; shorts, per ton, \$32; middlings, \$38; good feed flour, per bag, \$2.40.  
Ont. wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1.65 to \$1.70; No. 3 winter, not quoted; No. 1 commercial, nominal, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.  
Barley—Malt, 85 to 90c.  
Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.  
Rye—No. 2, \$1.40 to \$1.45.  
Man. flour, first pat., \$1.40, Toronto; do, second pat., \$1.30, Toronto.  
Ont. flour—40 per cent. pat., \$7.80 to \$7.90, in bags, Montreal or Toronto; do, bulk, seaboard, \$7.40.  
Straw—Carlots, per ton, \$3.50 to \$3.75.  
Screenings—Standard, cleaned, 2c; o.b. bay ports, per ton, \$28.  
Hay—No. 2, per ton, \$14.50; No. 3, per ton, \$11.50 to \$12.50; mixed, per ton, \$11.50 to \$12.  
Cheese—New, large, 24c; twigs, 24 1/2c; triplets, 25c; Stilton, 25c; Old, large, 25 to 26c; twigs, 25 to 27c; triplets, 27 to 28c.  
Butter—Finest creamery prints, 35 to 36c; No. 1 creamery, 34 to 35c; No. 2, 32 to 33c. Dairy prints, 28 to 29c.  
Eggs—Fresh extras, in cartons, 42 to 43c; loose, 40 to 41c; fresh firsts, 37 to 38c; splits, 34c.  
Live poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 28c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over M.F., 35c; do, corn fed, 32c; roosters, 20c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 27c; turkeys, 35c.  
Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 6 1/2c; primes, 6c.  
Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.40; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.80 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25c to 26c.  
Honey—60-lb. tins, 13 1/2c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 13 1/4c; 5-lb. tins, 14c; 2 1/2-lb. tins, 15 1/4c to 16c.  
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 25 to 26c; cooked hams, 37 to 38c; smoked beef, 18 to 20c; cottage rolls, 21 to 22c.

22c; breakfast bacon, 23 to 27c; special brand breakfast bacon, 29 to 31c; backs, boneless, 30 to 36c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$17.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$16.80; 90 lbs. and up, \$15.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$33; heavyweight rolls, \$27.

Lard—Pure tallow, 18 to 18 1/4c; tubs, 18 1/4 to 19c; pails, 18 1/4 to 19 1/4c; prints, 21 to 22c; shortening, 19 1/4c; 14 to 14 1/2c; tubs, 14 1/2 to 15c; pails, 15 to 15 1/2c; prints, 16 to 16 1/2c.

Choice heavy steers, \$7.75 to \$8.50; do, good, \$7 to \$7.50; butcher steers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.50; do, good, \$6.25 to \$6.50; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$4.75 to \$5.25; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.50 to \$7.25; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.25; butcher cows, choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; do, fair to good, \$3.50 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$2.75; butcher bulls, good, \$4.25 to \$5.25; do, fair, \$3.75 to \$4; bologna, \$2.50 to \$3.25; feeding steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4.75 to \$5.50; stockers, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$4.25; calves, choice, \$11 to \$12; do, med., \$7 to \$9; do, grassers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; milch cows, choice, \$70 to \$80; fair cows, \$45 to \$55; springers, choice, \$80 to \$100; good light sheep, \$7 to \$8; heavy sheep, \$4.50 to \$6.25; bulls, \$3 to \$4; good ewe lambs, \$14.50 to \$16; bucks, \$12.50 to \$14; do, med., \$10 to \$12; do, culls, \$3 to \$9; hogs, thick smooths, fed and watered, \$12.35; do, f.o.b., \$11.75; do, country points, \$11.50; do, off cars, \$12.75; select, premium, \$2.40.

### MONTREAL.

Oats, No. 2 CW, 71c; No. 3 CW, 69c; extra No. 1 feed, 66c. Flour, Man. spring wheat, 1st, \$11.10; 2nds, \$10.60; strong bakers', \$10.40; winter, choice, \$8.35 to \$8.45. Rolled oats, bag, 90 lbs., \$4.10. Bran, \$30.25; shorts, \$32.25; middlings, \$38.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$14 to \$15.

Butter—No. 1, pasteurized, 33 1/2 to 34c; No. 1 creamery, 32 1/2 to 33c; seconds, 31 1/2 to 32c. Eggs—Fresh extras, 43c; fresh firsts, 40c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, 75 to 80c.

Med. to fairly good steers, \$7.50; do, poorer quality, \$6.35; good milk-fed calves, \$12; com. to med. calves, \$9.50 to \$11; lambs, \$12 to \$14; sheep, \$7 to \$8; select hogs, \$13.55; med. hogs, \$12.85; sows, \$10.50.

## CANADA'S MAPLE SUGAR CROP

### Demand Awaits This Luxury When Put Up in Inviting and Attractive Condition.

The warm, sunny days and the cool nights provide ideal conditions for making maple sugar and syrup. This is one natural resource that is typically Canadian and largely local to the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

The sugar bush has long been a feature of the rural districts. Apart from its revenue-producing value, it is usually the rendezvous of the surrounding country at sugaring-off time. Here the young people were wont to gather just, it was said, to see the sugar being made, but the farmer always had his suspicions that this did not constitute the sole attraction. The number of samples taken, to be cooled in the snow, and eaten, evidenced that the visitors were more concerned with the amount of sugar made available for testing that with the work attached to gathering the sap and the boiling.

On many farms, however, the sugar bush is a thing of the past. The many substitutes for maple syrup and its higher production costs have materially reduced the revenue derived from this source, while the high prices prevailing for hard maple for firewood have been a temptation too strong to resist, and many of the sugar bushes have been cut down.

In some of the larger areas of eastern Ontario and the eastern townships of Quebec, however, quite elaborate plants are installed for sugar making. The sap is brought to the boiling house in pipelines, thus eliminating much of the labor of gathering. In the boiling houses improvements have been made in the equipment, resulting in a higher grade of sugar and syrup being produced. In the marketing, however, little improvement has been made.

Maple sugar is a luxury, and as such it should be marketed. Like many another Canadian product, it is suffering from the condition in which it is exposed for sale. The manufacturer of the chocolate bar puts his product up in attractive wrappers, which largely influences its sale. Maple sugar, however, is usually exposed for sale without even a wrapper and without the slightest attempt being made to give it an attractive appearance, or even to assure the consumer that it is reaching him in the best condition. A market undoubtedly awaits Canadian maple sugar and at good prices when it is well made, and put up and marketed in an inviting and attractive manner.

#### Greater Demand for Canadian Wool in World Markets

Sheepmen of Canada clipped a wool crop of 15,111,719 pounds in 1924, according to a report by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Value of the wool was \$3,777,930, compared with \$3,160,000 the year before, an increase of more than \$600,000.

Greater demand for Canadian wool in world markets, the report declared, raised the price realized by the producer from 20 cents a pound in 1923 to 25 cents in 1924. Great Britain and the United States were the principal purchasers.

## BANK OF ENGLAND RATE IS INCREASED

### With View of Checking U.S. Withdrawals Discount is Raised to Five Per Cent.

A despatch from London says:—The Bank of England rate was raised on Thursday to 5 per cent., with a view to checking the withdrawal of American money from London. The advance had been amply discounted both in Lombard Street and on the Stock Exchange, for, despite differences of opinion as to its expediency, in view of the probable immediate effect upon domestic business, the preponderant view in financial circles was that it was necessary to prevent the withdrawal of American money from London, with consequent depreciation of sterling.

The London Times's financial editor says he cannot accept the conclusion of J. M. Keynes that if the price level falls the higher bank rate may be harmful.

"A fall in prices," says The Times's editor, "while it may be unpleasant and actually lead to an influence in unemployment, pending an adjustment, it would, in the long run, give the much-needed stimulus to our trades and industries."

#### Recorder on a Mower.

A lawnmower that has been invented enables a man to record the distance covered each time he uses his mower and in an entire season.



This new Vickers "flying fish" airplane, so called from its resemblance to the queer water animal, is built to carry eight passengers. With a single engine the machine is capable of developing 100 miles an hour.



## CARLOAD

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## River Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chard and children were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. W. H. Hanna.

The meeting of the River Valley W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Boulton on Thursday afternoon, Mar. 5th.

Mrs. Mary Vandervoort spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Hiram Rosebush.

Our school is closed now on account of the measles.

Mrs. Stanley Irvin spent Thursday with her grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Stirling.

Mr. Royal Herman spent a couple days last week at the home of his son, Mr. Clayton Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bush and Evelyn spent Sunday with relatives of the 4th concession, Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh and baby spent Sunday with Mrs. McIntosh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Park.

## Gas on Stomach Won't Let You Sleep

Gas pressing on heart and other organs sometimes causes a restless, nervous feeling and prevents sleep. Adierika helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deep seated causes. The QUICK action will surprise you. Because Adierika is such an excellent intestinal evacuant it is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes. J. S. Morton, Druggist.

## Springbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McInroy of 12th Con. Rawdon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Wellman on Thursday evening.

Two car loads of beautiful Rock Elm timber have been landed at Bonarlaw Station which were bought by Mr. Sills of Holloway. Mr. Wm. McInroy landed several beautiful specimens, three sticks of timber which are 40 ft. 39 ft. and 38 ft. measuring 17 inches at the top. These sticks of timber are being shipped to England to be used for shipbuilding.

Master Reggie Burkhitt, son of Mr. Arthur Burkhitt who has been very ill of scarlet fever is able to be around again.

Farmers in this vicinity are busy filling their ice houses. Better milk better cheese, more cheese and a higher per cent. of butter fat will be the result.

## Publishing a Newspaper

The story told by the financial report of the Farmers' Sun Publishing Company should give the general public some little insight into the tremendous cost of publishing a newspaper, and how hard it is to make it a paying investment. The Farmers' Sun, doing a business of nearly \$100,000 in a year, went behind nearly \$30,000. The Farmers' Sun is a good weekly newspaper, but no better than over one hundred weekly newspapers, but it could not pay running expenses. During the past five years over one hundred weekly newspapers have ceased publication in Ontario, and some eight or ten daily newspapers have also ceased to publish. —Fergus News-Record.

## OSHAWA PAPER IN DIFFICULTIES

One of the brightest small city newspapers in Ontario, the Ontario Reformer of Oshawa, passed into the hands of receivers last week. Messrs. J. C. Ross and J. Ewart MacKay, the former publishers, are widely and favorably known, and will have the sympathy of their fellow publishers throughout the province. Mr. A. R. Alloway, formerly of Trenton and Stirling is acting for the receivers and manager in keeping the business in operation until all adjustments have been made.

## Burnbrae News

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hume are expected home this week after spending nearly a month with their son Thomas at Cobourg.

The Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting at Mrs. Chas. Hutcheson's last Thursday and quitted two quilts. A fifteen cent tea was served to about sixty people. Collection amounting to \$9.40. April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Milne.

The regular meeting of the Y. W. A. meets at the home of Mrs. Walter Thains on Saturday. They have decided to postpone their St. Patrick's entertainment till roads are better.

Several of the young people were entertained at the home of Mrs. Frank Little on Friday evening. All report a good time.

Miss Edna Staples of Baltimore returned home last Saturday, after visiting her sister Mrs. F. Little for a couple of weeks.

## Selling Tests.

There is some difference of opinion as to whether salt is, or is not, a butter preservative. Tests were made at the O. A. C. Dairy Department comparing butters made from the same cream, pasteurized, to one lot of which no salt was added, in other lots the salt content was .946, 1.69 and 2.9 per cent. The lots of butter were held in cold storage in 14-pound boxes for six months at temperature of 12° F. It was scored by the Provincial Butter Grader at the end of 1, 3 and 6 months periods. The lots having no salt averaged higher in flavor score when fresh and were practically the same at the end of 1, 3 and 6 months, and a little higher with one exception than the salted lots throughout the holding period. In these tests salt apparently had no preservative effect on the butter. High salting no doubt injures the quality of butter when fresh and is no advantage when it is kept in cold storage. Most Canadian markets require some salt in butter, but the demand is for less salt than formerly. At no time should butter contain over 2.5 per cent. of salt.

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## Here and There

In conjunction with the further loan of \$3,000,000 for colonization to be authorized by the Quebec legislature this season, it is also intended to raise the bounty to settlers on the acreage cleared. At present the government gives a bonus of \$6 an acre. It will be raised to \$8 an acre. The province spent \$30,000 in this way in the last fiscal year.

The amount of butter exported to Japan through Vancouver during 1924 was nearly twice that of 1923, according to figures supplied by the Japanese consulate at that point. The report shows that in 1924 the quantity was 476,464 pounds, as compared with only 299,895 pounds in 1923. Total cheese shipments to the same destination last year amounted to 2,685 pounds, as against only 40 in 1923.

A recent analysis of immigration according to occupation of immigrants arriving in Canada since 1920 shows a steady increase in the ratio of agriculturists and domestic towards all others. In 1921 the figure was 35 per cent. It was 44 per cent for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1922, 47 per cent for the fiscal year 1923-24 and 51 per cent for the nine months April to December, 1924.

One of the outstanding features of the Grain Commission Board's report for the season 1922-23, was the tribute paid to the excellent service rendered by the Canadian Pacific Railway in handling the western crop. Though the company handled 105,000 cars of grain, it received only six complaints about lack of cars from the railway and commission combined. In 1923-24, with an even larger number handled, there were only eight complaints.

Orchestras from the Canadian Pacific steamships "Empress of France" and "Empress of Scotland", when they arrived recently at New York and before sailing on their round the world and Mediterranean cruises which the company starts annually from that port broadcasted through WJZ a forty-five minute programme of selected Scots, English, Welsh, Irish and Canadian airs, while the "Montreal", on her return from the company's cruise to the West Indies, broadcasted British and Spanish music through WJY of New York.

Information furnished by J. Frank Callbreath, packing contractor and general merchant, shows that during the 1924 hunting season, parties secured 12 moose, 25 caribou, 26 goat, 31 sheep, 15 black bear and 11 grizzlies in the Telegraph Creek district of British Columbia. Of the caribou, the largest, shot by J. J. Sartori, of Brooklyn, N.Y., has a spread of 47 inches, is 39½ inches long and has 27 points. The largest sheep horns were 41½ inches long, with a spread of 31 inches, and were secured by A. D. Stewart, of New York.

The third annual Eastern International Dog Sled Derby, run off at Quebec on February 19, 20 and 21, was a tremendous success. Twenty-two mushers and their teams from many parts of Canada and the United States competed over the 120-mile course, the race being won by Emile St. Godard, of Le Pas, Man., who also won this year's derby at that place. The last day's lap was run through a blinding snowstorm, which gave the thousands of sports visitors from Canada and the United States who witnessed it, a vivid impression of normal conditions experienced by these outfits.

## Sweet Clover Butter.

The tests made in butter-making during 1924 with milk from cows pasturing on sweet clover was conducted with milk from farms where sweet clover was the only pasture. The butter was made in small lots in the Farm Dairy at the O. A. College and was scored by the Official Butter Grader for the Province. As in other years no flavor could be detected in the milk, cream or butter which might be attributed to sweet clover feeding. Five lots of butter were made altogether, one from raw cream churned sweet, one from raw cream ripened with a culture, one ripened without culture, one from pasteurized cream to which culture was added and then ripened. These conditions cover practically all that are likely to be met with on the farm or at the creamery. The butter was held in cold storage for two months before it was judged, in order to allow any flavors to develop that might be present. Sweet clover is a valuable pasture crop on dairy farms and should not be condemned by cheese or butter manufacturers. —Dept. of Extension, O. A. College.

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## WEST HUNTINGDON

District News and Views Conducted by  
ARTHUR WILSON

It looks as if old man winter was breathing his last breath. Here are a few of the symptoms. 1. We have almost lost our snow. 2. The crows and robins are appearing. 3. Sap buckets are glittering on the trees. 4. The ladies are preparing for house cleaning. Some were away taking their holidays before that awful rush of house cleaning.

Mrs. Sarah Fargey spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Sprague at Big Island.

Mrs. E. Pitman is spending a few days at Campbellford.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy visited her sisters at Zions Hill last week.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. F. Lane paid a visit to her parents at Oakwood.

Messrs. Frank and Howard Ashley attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Stevens at Peterborough on Monday.

We regret to report a number in our town suffering from severe colds.

Our manufacturing establishments have not been running all winter, but will soon be in operation.

Mr. Johnes has started sawing and is kept busy as he has a good supply of logs.

Mr. Harry Juby, our noted cheesemaker, is hauling wood and putting the factory in order.

The Robertson Gravel Co. are making repairs to their machinery at the gravel plant.

Mr. Geo. Ross has drawn a large number of cedar poles to our station for the Electric Co.

Mr. Jas. Cranston loaded some baby beefs at the station here on Saturday.

The wood piles that have caused the farmers many a struggle throughout the winter have nearly all been sawed and split. We have had just seven different outfits operating in this vicinity.

Our young people's organizations are marching on steadily.

The Tuxis Boys held their weekly meeting at the home of their Pretor, Mr. Elmer Post, on Friday evening. Three S. S. classes of girls were invited to attend and a social time was spent. There were forty present. Games, contests and singing were enjoyed by everyone present. The chief item however was speech making which evoked considerable fun. The Tuxis Boys believe that while they are having a social time they should also be improving their opportunities of building for the future, so they demonstrated to their visitors their powers of oratory.

The playwrights are busy putting on their play. It almost keeps them busy arranging for dates as a number of invitations have been sent in already. The next problem is what are we going to do with so much money?

## RAWDON COUNCIL

Rawdon Town Hall, Mar. 2, 1925.

The regular meeting of Rawdon Council was held on above date.

Members present: Messrs. Bailey, Brown and Johnson.

Moved by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Brown that minutes of last meeting as read be adopted. Carried.

Mr. Donald McInroy applied to cut two trees north of his property along the fence which was laid over.

Brown and Johnson that Mr. Geo. Thompson be paid \$7.00 for one cord of wood. Carried.

Johnson and Brown that the News-Argus be paid \$2.00 for Order Books. Carried.

A petition was read from the Salvation Army which was laid over.

Correspondence read and filed.

A By-law was passed in regular order appointing Road Master, Pound Keeper and Fence Viewer.

Mr. S. B. Wright for Mr. J. O'Brien Limited, applied for a portion of the 14th Concession Road to be closed until required by the corporation, so as to build a canal across the road agreeing that when such road was required by the Corporation the Company would build a bridge over the canal.

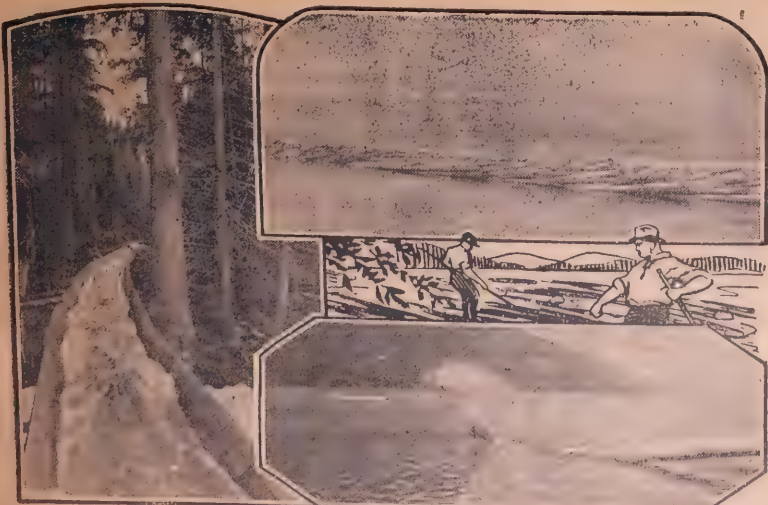
Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Johnson that the request be granted for the Clerk to advertise By-Laws and Notices at the Company's expense and that the By-law would be introduced at the next meeting. Carried.

Council adjourned to meet Monday, April the 6th, 1925, at 10 o'clock a.m.

W. F. Bateman, Clerk.

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## Spring Drives Will Start Soon



Although underground cables have taken thousands of poles from city streets, the broad highways between cities are still encumbered by clanking copper wires on poles, after miles of empty poles. In Canada the yearly consumption for telephone, telegraph and power use alone is some 110,000 poles.

Soon the winter's cut of telephone poles will come down.

surging through the flume and plunge into the peaceful waters of the lake. From here they will be collected and loaded on to railway flat cars and distributed to all parts of the country.

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## Well Known Journalist Passes in Chicago

Wm. J. Shanks, an Old Belleville Boy  
Made Name for Himself as Writer and  
Student of Municipal Affairs.

Many residents in the southern portion of Hastings County will learn with regret of the death, in Chicago, of William J. Shanks, an old Belleville boy who made a name for himself as a journalist in a number of Canadian and American cities. Mr. Shanks visited friends in the Stirling district last summer.

The following brief biographical sketch is an extract from a lengthy article in the Chicago Journal—

William J. Shanks, a veteran newspaper writer, and the first man to propose a subway for Chicago, died at 9 a.m. to-day at his residence, 115 South Clinton Avenue, Oak Park. His death was due to a complication which followed a fall on a slippery pavement during the Christmas holidays.

The fall broke the bones in his left leg, and shattered his nervous system. For several weeks physicians thought that he would recover, but an infection set in that resulted in his death.

Mr. Shanks' last newspaper work was a Christmas editorial which was published in The Journal. He was working on the editorial at the time of his accident and finished it on his sick bed.

Funeral services will be held at the residence in Oak Park on Monday at 2:30 p.m. Burial will be at Ottawa, Canada.

Mr. Shanks was known to newspaper workers all over the United States as "Bill." He was a genial personality whose learning, wit and incisive thinking made him a conspicuous figure in newspaper offices. His knowledge of traction matters made him a confidential adviser of mayors and other public officials for two generations.

Mr. Shanks was 65 years old. He was born in Belleville, Ontario, and graduated from Queen's University at Kingston, Canada. He studied law and served three years in a law office.

BEGAN NEWSPAPER WORK IN CANADA

He began his newspaper work as editor of Queen's College Journal. He became managing editor of the Brockville (Ontario) Daily Times, night editor of the Montreal Daily Herald and later a special writer for the Toronto Daily World and the Detroit Post and Journal.

He came to Chicago in 1887 and was a reporter, special writer and editorial writer on the Morning News from 1888 to 1892. He joined the staff of the Chicago Herald in 1892 and was associated with John C. Eastman, late publisher of The Journal, in the Herald's bureau at the world's fair.

In 1894 and 1895 he was associated with the Chicago Times. He was editorial writer on the Chronicle from 1897 to 1900 and was connected with the Chicago American and the Examiner, later the Herald-Examiner, from 1900 to 1920. He contributed editorials on traction and other municipal subjects to The Journal for several years.

Mr. Shanks was a member of the Press club from 1887 until the time of his death. He was also a member of Kilwinning lodge, A.F. and A.M., and of the Authors' club, London, Eng.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Theresa Quinn Shanks, whom he married in Ottawa in 1906, and by a daughter Mary.

## Live Stock Exhibits

Ontario Government's better live stock train will be in Trenton, March 20th from 9 a. m. until noon, and in Shannonville on Monday March 23rd from 9 a. m. until noon. All farmers and others interested in live stock will find the exhibits instructive.

## CARD OF THANKS

The families of Messrs. Wesley and Wilbert Jones and their aunt Miss Wescott desire to express their thanks to their friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses at the time of their recent bereavement.

## COMING EVENTS

"MARTHA MADE OVER" WILL be presented at Stirling Methodist Church, on Monday, March 23rd, at 8 p.m. by Mt. Pleasant Dramatic Club. Be sure to see it. Admission 35c and 20c.

A DRAMA IN 3 ACTS ENTITLED "The Old Fashioned Mother", in the Orange Hall, Springbrook, Friday, March 20th, by Springbrook Dramatic Club. Admission 35c and 25c.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES BOLDRICK from a photograph taken in Vancouver shortly before Mr. Boldrick's death. With the exception of brief periods of travel Mr. and Mrs. Boldrick spent their entire married life of sixty years in Stirling. Mr. Boldrick was one of the pioneer business men of the Village who left a lasting impression for good on the community.

See article at bottom of this page.

## Ladies' Orange Lodge Duly Instituted

Charter Membership of 22—Mrs. Jetty Thompson First Worthy Mistress.

On Friday, March 13th, a ladies Orange Lodge was instituted in Stirling. It was named Stirling Lodge No. 655, and has a charter membership of 22. The ceremony was conducted by Past Grand Mistress, Mrs. Featherston of Ottawa, assisted by Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Manley of Peterboro.

The following officers were duly installed: Worthy Mistress, Mrs. Jetty Thompson.

Deputy Mistress, Mrs. Thos. Cranston; Chaplain, Mrs. Ed. Reid; Financial Secretary, Mrs. L. Rodgers; Recording Secretary, Mrs. B. Campbell.

Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Juby.

1st Lecturer, Miss Freda Thompson; 2nd Lecturer, Mrs. Percy McGee; Director of Ceremonies, Mrs. H. Foster.

Inside guard, Mrs. Cam. Montgomery; Outside guard, Albert Kingston. Following the installation of officers, the worthy mistress, Mrs. Jetty Thompson was appointed a delegate to Grand Lodge which is meeting in Ottawa this week.

## Regular Meeting Of Epworth League

The regular meeting of the Epworth League on Monday evening was under the direction of the Literary Department.

The programme consisted of a solo by Miss Lucy Williams, the reading of the "Blue Outlook" by its editor Miss Ruth Eggleton and a piano solo by Miss Irene Baker.

The Khaki division announced through its leader that a play entitled, "Martha Made Over" is to be put on in the basement of the church on March 23d.

A contest was put on. The colour count showed an attendance of 68.

## Home from Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery, Sr. returned to Stirling on Saturday evening after an absence of nearly four months, spent mainly in Florida. Mr. Montgomery's health is much improved and the sojourn in the genial climate of Florida was thoroughly enjoyed. They spent about two weeks with friends in Southern Illinois on their way back to Canada and also visited friends at Toronto, Whitby and Brooklyn. The real estate boom in Florida did not unnerve him, although Mr. Montgomery said he had plenty of tips that would have brought him a fortune—according to the tipsters.

## Across Canada Tour

The Canadian Pacific Railway will operate a 21 day tour across Canada for teachers and their friends again this summer.

The tour conducted last year was a distinct success. It will be an "all expense" tour under the personal direction of Prof. Sinclair Laird, of Macdonald College, Macdonald College P. O., Quebec, to whom all applications for information should be sent. The train will leave Toronto on July 20th and the return trip will end in Toronto on August 12th.

## Standing of Students Stirling H. S. January and February

FORM I									
K. Joblin, 81; R. Gibson, 80; B. McGee, 79; G. Reid, 78; F. Eggleton, 77; L. Bailey, 71; F. Barker, 70; R. Parks, 70; R. Spry, 68; F. McGrath, 66; N. Carlisle, 65; M. Belshaw, 63; W. Warren, 62; G. Heath, 62; L. Green, 61; J. Vanderwater, 60; W. Hagerman, 60; M. Shea, 59; M. McGee, 59; T. Hubel, 59; M. Rogers, 59; G. Cooke, 58; H. Green, 57; K. Weaver, 57; H. Runnalls, 54; G. Broadworth, 52; H. Morrow, 52; M. Anderson, 50; A. Coasey, 49; C. Cooke, 49; S. Wickens, 47; K. Smith, 46; F. Bailey, 44; E. Hoard, 43; D. Thompson, 38; O. Sharp, 38.									
FORM II									
D. Morton, 70; E. Potts, 72; H. Chambers, 69; L. Vance, 69; E. Mumby, 66; J. Pitman, 66; N. Donohoe, 65; M. Bell, 65; M. Haggerty, 64; H. Donohoe, 63; B. Conley, 63; E. Hanna, 62; M. Bray, 62; M. Wood, 61; F. Jeffrey, 58; H. Heath, 58; G. Rosebush, 58; J. Dunkley, 57; G. McMurray, 51; F. Thompson, 49; M. Hulin, 47; H. Burkitt, 46.									
A. Warren, 77; D. Bailey, 75; E. Preston, 70; E. McCutcheon, 68.									

NORMAL ENTRANCE									
GROUP A									
	COMP.	LITER.	B. HIST.	A. HIST.	ALG.	GEOM.	PHYS.	CHEM.	
Dickens, B.	65	45	44		56		46		
Gould, F.	59	42	A		20		56		
Green, A.	64	42	40		55		37		
Heath, E.	66	53	60		45		17		
Keegan, M.	68	67	A		30		50		
Lamb, D.	68	57	68		42		37		
McGrath, A.	61	56	61		40		53		
McInroy, W.	66	62	83		68		50		
Mumby, P.	65	E	39		60		63		
Preston, A.	60	54	A		33		44		
Tulloch, N.	64	61	61		60		40		

GROUP B									
	COMP.	LITER.	B. HIST.	A. HIST.	ALG.	GEOM.	PHYS.	CHEM.	
Bell, John	72		55		50		67		
Belshaw, P.	55		35		61		59		
Broadworth, K.		78	27		53		72		
Fanning, E.		85	71		68		64		
Nerrie, E.	50	72	55		70		66		
Scott, L.		78			55		77		
Seeney, M.	53	80	76		A		78		
Sills, H.	51	54	53		80		A		
Snider, V.	38		50				E		
Wilson, V.	50	69	36		40		30		

MATRICULATION									
	COMP.	LITER.	B. HIST.	A. HIST.	ALG.	GEOM.	PHYS.	CHEM.	
A.									
Bailey, Cora	64	56	70	80	81	92			
Bateman, H.	62	60	62	44	52	67	75		
Carr, I.	60	64	65	60	70	73	87		
Danford, H.	E	A	50	A	18	E	43		
Hadley, B.	70	81	60	65	54	79	70		
McGee, C.	62	54	36	28	40	46	19		
Marshall, D.	60	60	60	22	46	27	44		
Pitman, J.	66	82	70	55	35	37	E		
Richardson, M.	70	63	51	30	40	44	32		
Rodgers, D.	68	63	74	62	78	79	93		
Smith, H.	67	68	43	78	50	51	67		
Smith, M.	72	67	71	52	44	37	55		
Ward, T.	60	28	61	25	34	40	18		

B.									
	COMP.	LITER.	B. HIST.	A. HIST.	ALG.	GEOM.	PHYS.	CHEM.	
Frederick, I.	A				77	78	87	51	
Halliwel, C.	A				51	A	85	A	
Heasman, A.	53				61	43	84	67	
Joblin, E.	74				76	70	98	78	
Joblin, G.	74				78	A	97	42	
Meiklejohn, A.	71				59	75	81	42	
Morgan, A.	A				67	57	83	70	
Osborne, B.	44				50	42	64	70	
Ross, D.	E				84	97	76		
Shea, M.	64				A	50	74	46	

UPPER SCHOOL									
	LITER.	M. HIST.	ALG.	GEOM.	TRIG.	CHEM.	LATIN	FRENCH	
Bailey, M.	60	40	47		17			54	
Chambers, B.	81	73	94	78	88		74	76	
Eggleton, R.	68	66	65	65	60		70		
MacDonell, M.	60	55	50					60	
Neal, E.	61	52		50					
Ross, D.			65		35	80			
Spry, E.	50	87						67	
Tucker, M.	65	52		19			68	61	
Wellman, C.	81	76	71	64	26			81	
Wellman, I.	81	92	74	65	70			80	

## Life Membership For Mrs. Boldrick

Horticultural Society Honors First President—Recent Event Recalls Incident in Early History of Local Organization.

In presenting Mrs. James Boldrick with a life membership in the society the other week, Stirling Horticultural Society acknowledged a debt of gratitude which it would be difficult to pay in full.

Mrs. Boldrick was among the very first of the citizens who were enrolled to form the Horticultural Society here just 28 years ago. She was elected the first president, an honor then held by but one other woman in Ontario, the president of Napanee Society being only Mrs. Boldrick, Mrs. Bissonnette, Mr. E. Meiklejohn and Mr. G. E. Kennedy are still living. Everyone of these has been a faithful and loyal supporter of the society throughout

its history. In its first year Mrs. Boldrick and Mrs. Ned Parker, canvassed the village thoroughly and secured more than sufficient members to obtain the Government grant. Unfortunately many of the early records of the society are not now available, but the splendid gardens, the well kept trees and shrubs, the streets, surrounding the library and the schools and in the parks are visible tokens of what the society has accomplished.

Mrs. Boldrick was president for 15 years filled with active service. During that time and largely because of the society's influence, two areas were set aside as public parks. These were Victoria Park, now the High School property and Central Park, on the site of the old cemetery. Trees were planted along three sides of Victoria Park and shrubs and flowers were planted on the east side of the school.

Mrs. Boldrick took a leading part in having the old graves removed from what is now Central Park. This involved much negotiation with rela-

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## Talks on Masonry

W. Bro. Linney, of Bracebridge Addresses Members of Stirling Lodge on History of Their Craft.

The members of the local Masonic fraternity, Stirling Lodge, No. 60, A. F. & A. M., had as their guest at the regular meeting last Thursday night W. Bro. Harry Linney, Bracebridge, who gave an address on "The History and Progress of Free-masonry" which proved most interesting and instructive. W. Bro. Harry Heath was in the chair, there was a goodly number of members in attendance, and several visitors were present from other Lodges.

The address was fully illustrated and reviewed the history of Masonry since the craft was introduced into Canada in 1749. In that year a lodge was established at Halifax. Ten years later, following the capture of Quebec by the British, the garrison established Masonic lodges, under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Ireland. These military lodges formed a Grand Lodge from whence Masonry spread as far west as Detroit. W. Bro. Linney then traced the development of Masonry in Upper Canada, following the establishment of the Grand Lodge of Upper Canada in 1792 receiving their charter from the Grand Lodge of England. He outlined in detail the steady development through the troublous years of the first quarter of the 19th century. Reorganization took place in 1822 and again in 1842 to 1844.

In 1855 the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario was formed and three years later a union was made with the ancient Grand Lodge of Canada. Since then masonry has made steady progress in membership and in influence. W. Bro. Linney illustrated his remarks with pictures of many of the early leaders of the craft in America as well as of rare old documents and statistical tables.

## West Huntingdon Public School Report

Report for January and February. Names in order of merit.

Sr. IV—Elizabeth Wright, 85; Annie Tanner, 65; John Wright, 63; Katie Bray, 61; Olive McGowan, 52; Margaret Kingston, 50; John Ashley, 40; George McGowan, 30.

Jr. IV—Tommy Scales, 64; Ruth Haggerty, 55; Judson McGowan, 30.

Jr. III—Marjorie Cooke, 78; Grace Murray, 74; Melville Tanner, 64; Blanche Murray, 64; Samuel Castle, 62; John Kingston, 62; Hilda Haggerty, 58.

Sr. II—Laura Kingston, 80; Lila Tanner, 75; Keith Bray, 75; Marjorie McIntyre, 71; Garfield Ashley, 40.

Jr. II—Charles Wright, 67; Dan Cooke, 63; Charlie Wright, 39.

Sr. I—Mona Wright, 95; Ruby Bray, 94; Marion Kingston, 75; Elmer Murray, 40.

PRIMER—Carl Thomson, Morley Tanner, Mervyn Wright, Enoch Wright, Harold Wright.

Violet M. Kerr,

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tucker thank their friends and neighbors for kindness and assistance given during the illness and at the time of the death of Mrs. Tucker's father, also for the many floral tributes.

## Ladies' Union Hold Successful Bazaar

Fully 200 Enjoy Splendid Supper and Many More Visited the Booths—Affair Well Organized.

The basement of Stirling, Methodist church presented an animated scene on Tuesday evening. It was the occasion of the annual St. Patrick Day bazaar and hot supper, held under the auspices of the Ladies' Union. The bazaar opened at four o'clock and those in charge of the booths had a busy time until long after the supper hour. Fully 200 people partook of the hot supper between six and eight o'clock. The basement was tastefully decorated with green and white streamers and symbols of the Emerald Isle.

Those in charge of the various booths were: Fancy goods—Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. E. Eggleton, Mrs. R. A. Elliott. Sample sales—Mrs. E. Morton, Mrs. H. Elliott, Mrs. Derry. Handkerchiefs—Mrs. Walt, Mrs. C. B. McGuire, Mrs. P. McGuire. Candy—Miss L. Williams, Mrs. R. Patterson, Miss Weese.

Those who assisted with the hot supper were: Mrs. B. Sine, Mrs. Fralick, Mrs. Waller, Mrs. Kingston, Mrs. Coulter, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. F. Scales, Mrs. McCutcheon, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. E. Bailey, Mrs. Hatton, Mrs. W. Hagerman, Mrs. W. S. Martin, Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. A. Bailey, Mrs. H. Hulin, Mrs. F. Richardson, Mrs. E. Luery, Mrs. Sandercock, Mrs. H. Morton, Mrs. Gravers and Messrs. J. Butler, H. Hulin, H. O. Martin, H. Elliott, R. Patterson, R. Atkins, P. McGuire, Halpeny, E. Eggleton, E. Luery, J. D. Mills and W. Lindenfield.

## Orange Grand Lodge

The Grand Black Preceptory and Orange Grand Lodge of Ontario East are convening this week in Ottawa.

Those attending from Stirling and district are: G. H. Luery, District Master, Thos. Donnan, W. M. L. O. L. 110, Mrs. Jetty Thompson, W. M., L. O. B. A. Sir Knight, Arthur Wilson R.B.P., Morley Haggerty, W. M. West Huntingdon L. O. L. 300 and Messrs. John Johnson, Walter Scott and Conger McConnell from Wellmans.

The sessions extend from Tuesday until Friday and the addresses given at the public meeting to be held this evening will be broadcasted.

## Overdue Subscriptions

There has been a courteous and willing response on the part of a considerable number of our subscribers to our appeal for the payment of overdue subscriptions. There are still some however, and most of them are the worst offenders, who apparently have not made any effort to meet this obligation. Our mailing list has just been revised and if you will examine the label on your paper you will learn how your account stands. If you owe us we will not help us pay our debts by paying yours?—Ed.

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THE STORY OF A BLOOD FEUD

BY ANNIE S. SWAN.

"Love gives itself and is not bought."—Longfellow.

### CHAPTER VIII.—(Cont'd.)

Judy bethought herself of some shopping she might do in the town, but before she had gone many steps, she was confronted by The Lees carriage, standing at a shop door, Lucy its only occupant. She would have turned back, but to her surprise, Lucy beckoned to her violently, half-rising from her seat, with her hand on the carriage door.

Judy, not unwillingly, stepped aside to speak to her.

"I was so awfully sorry about this afternoon, Judy!" said Lucy hurriedly, for, if she had a soft spot in her heart, it was for her cousin Judy, on whom, in her younger days, she had bestowed that ardent hero-worship which so often keeps girls out of mischief of another sort. "It was Peter's orders; and mother hated doing it, mortally!"

Judy looked fearlessly and coolly into her cousin's face.

"After all—I didn't do anything!"

"We know that, of course, but Peter was in a most frightful passion, and he keeps on being in it. It is really most disagreeable at The Lees, I do assure you! But, Judy, do tell me what has happened, for, of course, Peter didn't say much except that the engagement was broken."

"I only heard it to-day," said Judy calmly, "at the Clock House, from which I've come this very minute."

"Oh!"

Lucy's eyes grew round with excitement and wonder. "Did you see Miss Carlyon, then? And was it she who told you?"

"No. I only saw Mrs. Carlyon. But it is quite true the engagement is broken."

"And a fresh one made—with Alfn," said Lucy in a low, rather difficult voice.

"Good heavens, no! That could never happen, Lucy! How could it! They haven't met more than once or twice!"

"But Peter and Allan quarrelled about her," said Lucy perplexedly, "because Peter told us—"

"That might quite easily be. Probably Alan spoke out rather candidly about Miss Carlyon," said Judy. But both tone and expression seemed to falter, as if she felt less assured.

"Oh, but," said Lucy, "far more than that has happened. Peter said quite clearly to mother and me that Alan and she had fallen in love with one another, and that, for that reason, Miss Carlyon had given him back his promise. Don't you think—don't you think it all very strange, Judy?"

Judy was perfectly conscious of the wistful note in her cousin's voice, and made no mistake as to its origin. But it might be dangerous to be too sympathetic at the moment.

"Strange? It is worse than strange, my dear. It's incredible and disgraceful! I for one will not believe it until I have had some indisputable evidence. Alan has told me nothing at all, and I am feeling rather sore at him at this very moment. I haven't deserved it!"

"Alan has changed in everything but looks, I think, Judy," said Lucy,

and her tears rose. "Don't go just yet. Won't you wait and see mother? I'm sure she would like to hear what you have to say about things. Are you walking? Won't you drive back with us, and go over the hill to Stair?"

Judy did not answer at the moment, for her attention was riveted by two figures coming up the street together, side by side—her brother and Carlotta Carlyon!

An intuition which was quite unerring came to Judy then, for indeed the whole truth was written upon their faces!

"Look, Lucy—there they are! I don't want to see Alan! I must run into this shop. I don't suppose he will stop to speak to you, but if he does, don't tell him where I am!"

### CHAPTER IX.

CLOSING IN.

After one startled glance at the two figures coming up the middle of the street, Lucy hastily alighted and followed Judy into the shop.

Mrs. Garvock, busy matching some silks at the counter looked up in surprise.

"They haven't got what we want, Lucy," she began, then, catching sight of Judy, her manner changed.

When she would have turned her back, as if at a loss how to behave, Judy marched up to her boldly.

"How do you do, Aunt Isabel?" she said, and when the shop-assistant turned from the counter to seek for something else Mrs. Garvock had asked for, she added, in a lowered voice: "Don't think I am permitting you or Lucy to cut me like that! What have I done, anyway? Why, nothing! It is ridiculous, and can't be allowed to go on."

Judy spoke bravely, but her eyes were disturbed, the color fluttering in her cheek.

In spite of herself Mrs. Garvock smiled.

"The whole thing is absurd, and most painful, Judy; but we can't talk here. Will you drive back with us?"

"I don't mind if I do," assented Judy, with a glance of apprehension towards the street door.

When the shopping was finished, and they stepped out into the street once more, there was no trace of Alan—much to the relief of his sister and his cousin.

"What if we meet Peter?" asked Judy, almost maliciously. "Will he stop the carriage and bundle me out?"

"Don't be silly, Judy. Peter never comes down till half-past five or six o'clock. Get into the carriage at once!"

"After you, Aunt Isabel; and, please, let me sit opposite to you."

Mrs. Garvock made no objection, and several people who met the carriage evinced no surprise, for, of course, as yet no one outside the immediate circle knew of the rupture between Stair and The Lees.

"I suppose you can throw some light on this horrid affair, Judy?" began Mrs. Garvock at once. "What does Alan mean by behaving in this extraordinary fashion?"

"I don't know. I heard the news from Lucy for the first time, about ten minutes ago. So you can imagine what I felt when I was turned away from the door of The Lees!"

"Dear me, that makes it all stranger than ever!" said Mrs. Garvock musily. "But do you think it possible that he could ever marry Miss Carlyon after an affair of this kind?"

Judy persistently shook her head.

"I have no ideas, no opinions. I know nothing, Aunt Isabel. Please don't let us talk any more about it."

"But there is nothing else to talk about. You can imagine how it is at The Lees, and the frightful passion Peter is in! If you have any influence over him—and you used to have a good deal—I wish you would talk to him."

"I will talk to him!" said Judy, with a little snap of her lips which indicated a most unusual bitterness, "when he talks to me, but not before!"

"Alan has behaved very foolishly in his own interest. It would have been far better not to complicate things at the present moment, and besides, it is hardly decent, I think, to have just buried his father and be plunged into folly of this kind all in one week! Why, it is the most unheard-of thing!"

Judy listened while her aunt talked on. The more talk she could hear, perhaps she could get her bearings the more quickly. The one dreary, indisputable fact standing out in front of her was, that she had built all her hopes on a false foundation, and that the burden, so far from being rolled away, or even shared, was merely increasing in size and weight.

For the first time, absolutely, the sweet, sound grain in Judy Rankine's nature seemed to turn to gall. She told herself she had not deserved this.

"I don't think I had better come up to The Lees, auntie," she said, as they drew near the turning in the road which led directly to the lodge gates. "Peter might find me there, and feel himself under the painful necessity of turning me out."

"Peter would not do that if I was in the house; my dear. And Ramsay exceeded his duty to-day. It surely was only to Alan the orders applied. You must come and go as you used to, and I hope you will."

Judy shook her head, as she gathered up the gloves she had taken off mechanically with the odd feeling that gloves seemed to embarrass and hamper her movements.

(To be continued.)

## GREAT INCREASE IN TEA CONSUMPTION

The consumption of tea, it is estimated, increased in 1924 thirty-nine million pounds. The price, as a result, may go to \$1.00 per pound, but even then, tea is the cheapest beverage in the world—aside from water.

## USE YOUR MIRROR.

Two classes of women do not look into the mirror often enough: Those who are too busy, and those who are too tired. In between these two classes there is a vast throng that looks but does not see. To be well dressed one must have the sense to look, the courage to see, and the wisdom to know just what to do about it. Stores are centres of temptation, and most women who buy have spent too little time in considering. Your mirror is your best friend at such a time. It will tell you the color of your hair, eyes and skin. It will tell you if you belong to the "tail thin" or the "short fat," and whether or not you stand correctly. More than that, your mirror will tell you if you are well proportioned. It will tell you the length of your waist in relation to the body length, which is so important at the present time. When these facts have been revealed before the mirror, all the gay colors and the extreme lines in the world will not lure the wise woman to make a mistake in her selection.



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There was once a man who thought he was paid all he was worth.

There was once a girl with pretty ankles, and who didn't know it.

There was once a father who liked to act as night nurse to his offspring.

There was once a post-office assistant who said "Please" and "Thank you!"

There was once a man who gave more money each week to his wife than she could spend.

There was once a wife who, in argument with her husband, hated to have the last word.

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## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario.

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

Don't take too much of one kind of food. It may not contain enough of all the elements that go to maintain bodily health and vigor.

No matter how nourishing a food is supposed to be, ill-health and disease may result if too much of that particular kind of food is taken without sufficient "balance" in the diet. So many of the world over have been proverbially fond of porridge, and no doubt it has proved a sustaining food if eaten with other substances, but contain health-giving properties, but almost exclusively, there is great danger of the development of rickets or softening of the bones and muscles, a condition from which thousands of children in this country suffer. Professor R. Mellanby of St. Thomas' Hospital, London, thinks that porridge is a very bad cereal from a nutritional standpoint, and especially if taken as the main diet. He says it contains some substances which interfere with the deposition of bone-hardening calcium and phosphorus in the body, and unless accompanied by the necessary food factors or vitamins, had proved disastrous when taken consistently, to the animals to which it had been administered.

Any food that is boiled or cooked to any extent has this deficiency in vitamins. It is not porridge alone that lacks these essentials, but porridge has come to be regarded as a very complete food in itself. In fact, one often hears the saying that people in certain localities in Scotland were brought up on porridge and the

Shorter Catechism. Be that as it may, and I for one would never want to minimize the fighting qualities of still Scot or his inherent manliness, still the fact remains that porridge taken in excess and without a sufficient amount of other vitamin-containing foods, is a poor diet.

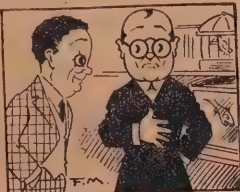
The experiments that proved the lack of proper food content in oatmeal was done on animals, but Prof. Mellanby said he thought the cereal would have the same effect on human beings as on lower animals. He adds, no reason why it should not. He says, however, that in the large majority of cases, people who ate porridge took with it the cream and other accessories which contained the vitamins necessary to overcome the deficiency in the oatmeal. He made the additional observation that it was the children of the poor who could afford only the porridge and not the trimmings that were often the cause of rickets. Don't harbor the idea that oatmeal contains anything harmful. It is the lack of something necessary in it that makes the cereal dangerous as a regular food. When accompanied by the proper vitamin-containing accessories, porridge is still considered a splendid food. One of the most important and most remarkable of the vitamin-containing substances is cod liver oil. Fresh milk also contains the precious vitamin and even a teaspoonful taken at a meal makes all the difference between a non-sustaining diet and one that contains the necessary elements required to maintain a normal condition of health and vitality.

## MARCH WEATHER DANGEROUS TO BABY

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The sunshine's growing brighter.  
There's just a hint of smiling  
Of ecstasy that's somewhere hid, away  
Up in the blue.  
A woodpecker, red-breasted,  
And busy at my maple,  
It seemed to me, and just to-day, was  
Very hopeful, too.

A squirrel found my window.  
And oh, how energetic;  
He deigned to take the nuts I gave,  
Then on a branch did sway,  
And sudden thrilled and thankful,  
I felt it and I knew it,  
That Spring, the ever-joyous, was  
Surely on the way.

## Persian Gifts.

Some of our finest fruits and flowers, much of our jewelry, and the wine which no longer is mere Persian gifts to civilization. A Persian legend attributes the discovery of wine to a queen's toothache.

A shah had placed grapes in a jar to preserve them and they fermented. Thereupon His Majesty marked the jars "poison." After sleepless nights with a throbbing molar the queen determined to end her misery and swallowed a liberal portion of the "poison."

She fell into a deep sleep, and when she awakened the pain had gone!  
Therefore, the native will tell you, the Persian word for wine to this day means "sweet poison."

Alix Thon.

## NATURE'S WARNINGS

Danger Signals That Everyone Should Take Seriously.

Pain is one of Nature's warnings that something is wrong with the body. Indigestion, for instance, is characterized by pains in the stomach, and often about the heart; rheumatism by sharp pains in the limbs and joints; headaches are a sign that the nerves or stomach are out of order. In some ailments, such as anaemia, pain is not so prominent. In this case Nature's warning take the form of pallor, breathlessness after slight exertion, palpitation of the heart, and loss of appetite. Whatever form these warnings take, wise people will not ignore the fact that many diseases have their origin in poor blood, and that when the blood is enriched the trouble disappears. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are most helpful in such cases because they purify and build up the blood to its normal strength. In this way it tones up the nerves, restores the appetite and gives perfect health. Miss Hazel Berndt, of Arnprior, Ont., has proved the great value of this medicine, and says: "I am a young girl and have been working in a factory for the past four years. For two years I had been in such poor health that at times I could not work. I was thin and pale, and troubled with headaches and fainting spells. I doctored nearly all this time, but it did not help me. My mother advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using them for a while I could notice an improvement in my condition. I used nine boxes and can truthfully say that my health is restored. When I began taking the pills I weighed 97 pounds and now I weigh 114. I feel that I owe my good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and hope other ailing people will give them a fair trial."

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Contestants, who are not well versed in economics, are advised to study elementary works, dealing with fundamentals, and to read articles on economic subjects in newspapers and magazines. The essays may be entirely original or may be based, in whole or in part, on books or articles. If the latter plan is followed, references to the books and articles should be given in footnotes.

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The trick is that this coin will be just the same number of coins up the right side of the "Q" as there are coins in the tail. If it is desired to repeat the trick, rearrange the coins, leaving a different number of coins in the tail of the "Q" as it will give away the trick if the same coin is the stopping point the second time the trick is done.

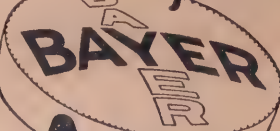
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Huge Koran.

A huge koran, evidently intended for use in a mosque, was sold at auction in London not long ago. The book is four feet tall and a foot thick and has wooden covers. Each page contains only ten lines of script, which is four inches high, and the borders are richly illuminated with gold designs. The whole book is covered with gold brocade. An Oriental bought it for two hundred pounds, and it will probably go back to its former home in the East.

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## "GRIZZLY SAL"

One of the real bad ones who did her stuff at the Calgary Stampede last year. When the prairie city celebrates the 50th anniversary of the arrival of the Mounted Police and the birth of the city, July 6 to July 11, Sal will be back on the boards at the big Round-up and carnival.



## Stirling News-Argus

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ALLAN DONNELL  
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

Thursday, March 19th, 1925.

### BORROWED THOUGHTS

Be not slippy good; be good for something.

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### Industrial Accidents

In February there were 4,096 accidents reported to the Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario, including 12 fatalities. This figure is slightly higher than January, when there were 4,042 accidents reported to the Board, including nineteen fatalities, but the decrease in deaths is distinctly noticeable. In February, 1923, there were 4,753 accidents, including 27 fatalities, so that February, 1925, shows a distinct falling-off in this particular form of production.

In February, 1925, the total compensation awarded by the Workmen's Compensation Board was \$381,677.88, including \$58,166.84 for medical aid. It will be noticed that this figure is considerably below February, 1924, when the total compensation awarded was \$505,975.82. May the good work continue.

### Ireland's Patron Saint

Probably no other saint in the calendar is so widely known, or so lovingly remembered as Ireland's patron, Saint Patrick. His day, March 17th, the anniversary of his death is celebrated in every Christian land.

There is lots of alleged humor afloat these days to the effect that Ireland had to go to Scotland for her patron saint. While there is no certainty about it, it is now generally conceded that St. Patrick was born near where the present town of Dumbarton stands, but his father was a retired Roman soldier who probably had very little to do with his pagan neighbors.

However everybody knows that "St. Patrick's day," "Mar. 17th" and the "17th of Ireland" are synonymous terms. It might be doubted if even half of our most learned High School students

could tell who the patron saints of England and Scotland are and what days are set aside in their honor.

### EDITORIAL NOTES

Measles are still very prevalent in the Village and even more so in the district roundabout. Persons neglecting to report cases to the Board of Health are liable to a heavy penalty and breaking quarantine is an even more serious offence.

Have you ordered your shares in the covered rink yet? It is a community enterprise and every little bit added to what has been subscribed makes a little bit more.

### AMONG THE BOOKS

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#### BOOKS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

"Dissie Among the Prefects." This is a wholesome story of life in a large school. There is plenty of adventure mixed with a measure of inspiration. "Days to Remember." The British Empire in time of war. This is a book of some 200 pages which gives in a series of short chapters a bird's-eye view of the war. It is useful as a book of reference and of great interest for general reading, to boys and girls of the third grades and older. It is written by John Buchan and Sir Henry Newbolt.

Another of Buchan's books in the library is "The Last Secret." This is a splendid account of exploration ventures during the past century. It is really more for older boys and girls who have some knowledge of world geography—the more the better.

Arthur Heming's work "Spirit Lake" is a vivid account of life in a fur trading post of the Hudson's Bay Co. Action and incident are supplied by the winter adventures of a chief and his family on the hunting grounds about Spirit Lake.

That fine old book known to many of the older folk "Pepper and Salt" by Howard Pyle may be had at the library. It is written after the fashion of the old folk tales.

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## Political Pot-Pourri at Ottawa

By Our Ottawa Oracle

OTTAWA, March 16.—The fact that the budget is ready for presentation to the House of Commons indicates that it is not likely to be a very revolutionary document this year. It will be presented by Hon. James A. Robb, who is the keeper of the national purse during the absence on account of illness of Hon. W. S. Fielding, at any time, probably this week. This year it is expected there will not be any notable tariff reductions, such as those which created such a commotion last year. Not for years has the budget been ready so early in the session. There does not appear to be any excitement or marked interest in this document, which usually is so portentous to great and small.

There are some in and about Parliament who aver that the fact of the budget being ready so early is another sign of an early dissolution of Parliament and an election in the Fall. Rumours of a general election this year are mixed with rumours of a fall session of Parliament, which will be short, followed by an election. What will happen remains to be seen. It is certain there are not lacking signs of preparedness if an election does come, and that while most of the members may not want one most of them expect one. Happenings in the near future may have much to do with the decision of the government for or against.

The Peterson Shipping Contract and the Preston report are items that have taken on the mantle of chief importance in Dominion affairs, with the trouble at the Nova Scotia coal mines claiming the spotlight in provincial matters. The situation down in Cape Breton gives promise of being a front-page feature of the newspapers across

the Dominion for some time to come. Without considering the pros and cons of the trouble, the fact is, Canadian men, women and children down there are in dire need of food, fuel and clothing, children especially. Individual members of Parliament, following the announcement by the Premier that the matter was one for the Provincial and not the Dominion Government, have given generously to a relief fund. Mr. King himself gave \$100.

The Peterson contract or the Ocean Freight Rates Bill is to be investigated by a special committee and J. H. Symington, K.C., of Winnipeg, has been retained to conduct the case for the government. Pronounced opposition to the bill will be launched against it by the Conservatives, while the Progressives want to be shown before they decide on their action. The Liberals are in favour of it. The Premier has announced that the Government will stand or fall by the contract made with Sir William Peterson.

By a majority the House favoured a provincial conference to consider senate reform as mentioned in the speech from the throne. It is a subject on which there has been much talk for years and that's all. Even if a provincial conference favours reforming the senate by this or that change will the senate itself endorse the suggestions? Not all those who listen to the talk of the needed reform are agreed that such is needed. Many would like to be elevated to that comfortable chamber, membership in which pays \$4,000 a year for life. The senate has been described as the most exclusive and comfortable club in this country. Who wouldn't like to be a member? It is a lurking ambition of many in the political fold.

## Rural China—Its Make-Believe

by  
JOHN H. MacVICAR, D.D. Honan, China

In the raw, Chinese Man-Power, massed overwhelmingly in the rural regions, lacks no quality more than reality. The Yellow Peril is largely imaginary. Anyone who has seen a village fight knows that. Staged in the open, at some spot where prompt intervention may be counted on by peace-makers, you have in the small what is actually seen in military manoeuvres on a large scale.

Two men will raise glittering axes over each other's heads. Just as they are about to bring them crashing down, somebody—in one instance which I witnessed it was a Canadian missionary—will rush in between, and seizing both axe-handles, hold the combatants apart: the precise denouement which each confidently expected. Even in an ungovernable passion your Chinese villager has self-control enough to play to the gallery. The gallery seldom fails him.

I have watched pitched battles between villages. There was plenty of noise. There was tremendous bluff.

But there was absolutely no fighting. For an hour or more, at leisurely intervals, there would be ear-splitting explosions of antiquated guns. On both sides there was purposely kept well out of range. Between the firing, the peace-talkers passed to and fro. Finally the armed belligerents from one village sallied forth to the other village, and, after desecrating the ancestral graves, marched back in triumph, to the loud blare of trumpets and vehement waving of banners in celebration of a make-believe victory.

In theory, the walls that surround the larger villages are supposed to afford protection from the brigand-hordes who disgrace the good name of China. As a matter of fact they are no more protection than soldiers, who at the critical moment can be depended on to change their coats and join the robbers. Once in a bandit-ridden region duty detained us late in the day. Darkness was falling. We approached a town with a formidable wall.

"See!" we exclaimed, "we are in a fix! The gates are closed. If we cannot go straight through, but have to pass outside, it would be beyond midnight before we would reach our destination."

"Don't worry," advised the Chinese who accompanied us "when we come to the gates we'll find a way."

They did. Two of the party sprang down from the cart and nimbly scaling the formidable wall unharmed the gates. It was impossible to resist the impulse to say:

"You Chinese do beat the Dutch! These walls were built to keep the bandits out. Do you suppose for a moment that what the ratsels daily see you doing, they in turn will be unable to do?"

A lock, according to a Chinese proverb, guards against a Superior Person, not against a Mean Man. Any gentleman, that is to say, who sees a lock, just because he is a gentleman, will take the hint and pass on: knowing that if he is mean enough to pick it, he can open any lock in the land. I have repeatedly seen Chinese in the twinkling of an eye without a key open locked doors.

In the matter of extending hospitality, make-believe often goes to extremes. There are occasions when spectacular public demonstrations are made to honor a guest by a mere exhibition of refreshments of which they know he will be too polite to partake. There are even occasions when bogus invitations are extended.

One autumn evening, amid tremendous explosions of fire-crackers, in connection with a festival for worshipping the moon, frequent messengers arrived to bid us to a feast. Chinese friends at our elbow advised us to decline the proffered kindness. They explained that each messenger was inviting hundreds of people to a feast for which absolutely no provision had been laid in, and everybody invited knew that the courtesy was an empty form. But let us not unfair. To

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sheer downright humbug of this kind, even the most delicious concocted Chinese make-believe has been surpassed over and over again by the stately insincerities of the best European and American society.

Lord Curzon calls China "a splash on the map." He rightly says that it is neither an Empire nor a Republic: nothing more than an amorphous collection of human beings without government or cohesion, split up into small local governments under milit-

ary governors who collect the taxes and please themselves. That is true. The Chinese Republic is a huge pretence.

But there is this to remember: that throughout all the turmoil and confusion still prevalent the great mass of the people are sick and tired of the whole farcical make-believe and in their own clumsy way, which is not entirely devoid of cohesion, are feeling after reality. There never was a time

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## Local and Personal

We hope our readers will consider this column their very own. We always appreciate receiving items of local interest by telephone (59 post card or by a friendly call at the office.

Mr. Jetty Thompson purchased a fine new Chevrolet car this week.

Save up and be ready for a white elephant sale—it's coming soon. Miss Jane Wescott of Napanee was in Stirling this week owing to the death of his sister, Mrs. Jones.

Mr. J. D. McCona, of Hornell, New York is visiting his sister, Miss C. McCona.

Rev. L. S. Wight of Tweed spent Monday at the home Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds.

Mrs. Jas. Wiggins of Grenfell, Sask. spent a few days with her aunt, Miss Knox and other relatives in town.

Mrs. G. Griffin has returned home after nursing Mrs. Brady of Hards Station.

A copy of "The Mirrors of Washington" has been donated to the Public Library by Miss Ethel Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bird and family, of Picton spent the week-end with Mr. Bird's father, Mr. Morden Bird.

According to the Peterboro Examiner the Hydro-Electric Commission is planning to develop power on the Crowe river, twelve miles from Campbellford.

This time of the year your stock needs some more Zip Stock Conditioner. Try a 25 lb. bag at \$3.00 reduced price. Sold by Fred McKee agent. t-f

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery, Sr., made a short visit at "Willow Burn" Brooklin last week, the guest of Rev. R. and Mrs. Simpson.

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Mrs. N. Bailey and two daughters, Gracie and Thelma of Picton, who were the guests of Mrs. H. Stewart for a week returned home on Tuesday.

Wednesday, April 1st, Motion pictures under auspices of Memorial Committee. More details next week. Plan to attend. 28a

Mrs. James A. Caskey and also Mr. Herb Caskey of Madoc spent the week end visiting their sister, Mrs. Robert Reid, who is very ill. We are pleased to learn, however, that Mrs. Reid is recovering although the progress is slow.

Mr. and Mrs. Parry will continue to occupy Mr. Thos. Montgomery's house for about ten days longer, when they expect to move to Deseronto. In the meantime Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Donnan.

In view of the prevalence of measles in this district it should be borne in mind that the Provincial Health Act provides that "whenever any household knows or has reason to suspect that any person within his family or household, or boarding or lodging with him, has any communicable disease, he shall, within twelve hours, give notice thereof to the health officer."

The heavy rains of last night have raised the level of Rawdon Creek to flood proportions. At noon to-day it was on a level with the roadway at the north end of Henry Street bridge. Cellars on Mill and Front Sts. were flooded. Then the high winds that followed the rain have been playing havoc with the sheet metal roofing. The Methodist church shed lost much of its covering and the roof of the Union Bank building nearly lost its grip.

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## Judicial Sale

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order for Sale made by the Supreme Court of Ontario in an action of Hawkins vs. Heath and bearing date respectively the 23rd day of June, 1924, and the 9th day of February, 1925, there will be sold by public auction, with the approbation of the Local Master at Belleville, at his Chambers in the Court House at the City of Belleville on Monday the 30th day of March next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable farm property:

PARCEL NO. 1—The West half of Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon in the County of Hastings, containing 100 acres more or less.

PARCEL NO. 2—The East half of said Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon aforesaid containing 100 acres more or less.

Upon Parcel No. 1 are erected a large brick dwelling house fitted for two tenants, a large frame barn, 40 by 70, and a large frame shed for agricultural implements together with the usual other farm buildings—piggery, henhouse, etc.

Upon Parcel No. 2 are erected a frame dwelling house, size 24 by 36, two storeys, and a frame barn about 30 by 56.

The buildings on both parcels are in fair state of repairs as well as the fences and both parcels are well watered.

The property will be sold subject to reserve bids fixed by the Master, and in two parcels or en bloc at the option of the Master.

Terms of Sale: 10 per cent. down and balance within one month thereafter without interest.

In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the said Court.

For further particulars apply at the law offices of B. C. Donnan, Court House, Belleville, and R. D. Macaulay, Campbell Street, Belleville. Dated the 23rd day of February, 1925.

S. S. Lazier,

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CARMEL, SUNDAY, MARCH 22ND  
MONDAY, 8 p.m.—Epworth League Service—2.30 p.m.

**Presbyterian Church**

MINISTER—REV. ROBT. SIMPSON  
SUNDAY, MARCH 22ND  
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**Rawdon Circuit Notes**

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The Song of the Lazy Farmer

Along about this time in spring, I like to sit around by jing, and watch the birds hop here and there while bees are buzzing in the air. I like to sit here in the sun while neighbor gets his seedling done and smoke my pipe and doze away. I surely love a warm spring day. The sap is rising in the trees, the pussywillows catch the breeze, a pair of robins on the bough are laying out their new nest now. A day like this is worth a lot, it makes you thankful you have got some acres you can call your own, where you can sit and smoke alone without the city's noise and roar, with chickens scratching by the door.

Mirandy's got her garden in, and for a day or two she's been a-makin' her some chicken coops with woven wire and barbed hoops. She says she'll raise a lot of fries, that wife of mine sure takes the prize, she's doing something all the while to add unto the family pile. She raises eggs and garden truck, I'll tell the world I was in luck, when I picked out Mirandy June, I'd surely do the same again!

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Mr. and Mrs. Butler Rupert, of Wellmao, spent the week-end of last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Reid, Belleville.

## Madoc Junction

The W. M. S. report another interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Fitchett, last Thursday p.m. A dainty lunch was served and a delightful social hour enjoyed at the close, the rooms looked very inviting with primroses, ferns and potted plants.

Mrs. C. Brintwell of Corbyville visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Will Logue of Belleville is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett.

Rev. Mr. Lane took charge of the service here on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Jack Cook has rented Mr. Bird's farm and is moving in this week.

Mr. G. Eggleton's family are out again after being shut in for some time with measles.

A number from here have been invited to spend Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Eggleton to celebrate their golden wedding.

## St. Andrew's Guild

The regular meeting of St. Andrew's Guild was held on Monday evening, Miss H. Findlay, 3rd vice-president in the chair. The scripture lesson, taken by Miss N. Tulloch consisted of a brief exposition of the Christian life, from the first calling of the fishermen to the reception of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. With this as an example, it was pointed out that Christ can mould the life of everyone whom he calls. Miss H. Burkitt then favored the Guild with a solo, after which business was taken up.

Instead of the prescribed topic, Miss Findlay read a chapter from "Patterson's 'Life of Christ', which proved very interesting."

Miss M. Spencer then staged a St. Patrick's Day guessing contest which caused much amusement.

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## A Talk With An Old Salt

"Yes, sir," he said, "I have been at sea, man and boy, for twenty-four years. That's a big slice out of a lifetime!"

But it did not need his words to inform me that he had spent many years upon the sea. His face was enough to tell me that. Sun, wind, and rain had beaten upon it, and had left it rugged, and furrowed, and tanned. It was a kindly, weather-beaten face, that in its every line spoke of hardy exposure to all the stormy winds that blow.

"Yes," I replied, "twenty-four years, as you say, means a big slice out of a lifetime. You must have had some experience in your time."

"Well, I've had my share, sir; but, thanks to Providence, I've come through all right."

"In what capacity were you at sea?" I asked.

"For fifteen years out of the twenty-four I was chief steward," he answered. "Previous to that I was working my way up to that position. I began at the very lowest rung of the ladder, and I'm proud to say that I never once slipped back till I became chief of my department."

"The duty of the chief steward is vitally important, as I understand?" I said.

"Yes, the whole burden of that department lies upon his shoulders. He is responsible for all the provisions in the ship, and has to see that there is a plentiful supply in stock. Everything in this direction is under his supervision, from the buying in of the goods to the serving up at table. Of course, he has a number of assistants to help him. I have had from twenty to thirty under me; but then I have always been on the best ships."

"From twenty to thirty?" I exclaimed. "That certainly is a large number! What would be the special work of these men?"

"Well, there would be, say, four cooks. Then there would be so many state-room stewards, so many saloon stewards, so many bedroom stewards, and so many colored servants to wait at table."

"Why, it's quite an important department!" I said.

"The hungry passengers would agree with that, sir," he replied, laughing; "and the hungry crew also."

I could see that my friend was fairly wound up for talking now, so I endeavored to lead him on. There is nothing more interesting to hear than experiences of life, in whatever calling they may have been gathered.

"Of course you have been through the Suez Canal many a time?" I said.

"Rather!" he replied. "I was on the third ship that passed through after the canal was opened. As you know, it was at first so narrow that ships have to heave-to while another passes. There are mooring posts at the side for them to make fast to on those occasions. You could almost shake hands from one ship to another as you pass."

"I have heard that the Red Sea is very dangerous," I said. "Is that a fact?"

"Yes. It is due to the currents in that part. Numbers of ships have been lost in the Red Sea."

"What is the most exciting experience that you have ever had?" I asked. He pondered for a moment.

"Well, I should say the most exciting experience was a tornado which came upon us while we were lying in harbor at St. Thomas, in the West Indies."

"Tell me about it," I said.

"It was this way. I was at that time on a boat that was engaged in repairing the cable in that part of the world. Let me see, it was—yes—it was in 1876. We were lying at anchor off Jamaica when the news came that there was a ship ashore on the reefs. I shall never forget the weather we had that day. The rain—well, you never saw anything like it anywhere else! It falls, out there, not in drops, but literally in sheets. I recollect I had to go ashore to look for some live stock with which to provision the ship. Floods of water were coming down from the hills and covering the roadway to such an extent that you couldn't see the footpath—which was pretty high, too. I had to go back to the ship without having done anything. As soon as we heard there was

a ship on the reefs, however, we put out to the rescue. We found her to be a boat of about four thousand five hundred tons. The captain had been trying to cut off all the corners on his way out."

"Cut off what corners?" I asked innocently.

He laughed. "That's our way of describing a quick passage," he said.

"He had been trying to make an extra quick passage, and he had cut one corner too many, and had run the ship on the reefs. When we reached her we found she was rolling under a tremendous swell. The noise she made was terrific. You see the reefs were coral, and the ship crashed into it as she rolled. We tried to tug her off, but found it impossible. However, we got the crew and passengers off, and we ran back as hard as we could for Jamaica, where we landed the people we had rescued. From there we went round to St. Thomas on some cable work. It was found that our cylinders wanted seeing to, so we put into harbor at St. Thomas. We found that the storm-comer was up announcing that a hurricane was coming. So we decided to ride it out in the harbor. Our fires had all been put out for the repairs of the cylinders, so we had no choice. Probably you have never experienced a hurricane in those parts, sir?"

"No," said I. "For the very sufficient reason that I have never been there."

"It is almost impossible to describe it. It is more like a whirlwind than anything else. We knew something about it, so we began to get ready without any delay. There was a lot of shipping in the harbor, and that made me more dangerous. Why, believe me, sir, a hurricane in those parts bangs great ships together when they are in harbor, and smashes them up like so many toys, unless they take extra precautions. I remember there was an American schooner lying under the cliff—as pretty and taut a craft as ever I saw. I had a chat with the captain, and I made the remark to him that he would have to make himself secure if he wanted to save his ship. He threw his head back, and laughed."

"Why," said he, "my ship could ride out anything that these parts could produce."

"It struck me that he had never seen a hurricane in harbor, or he would not have talked in that cocksure way. The next few hours taught him his lesson, poor man. It was now getting dark, and all our preparations were nearly complete. We had two anchors down with cables, and six grapples with wire roping. In addition to that we had some kedge anchors fast. No sooner were we ready than the storm broke over us."

"I've been in many a spall, but I never experienced anything like that tornado. The rain came down in sheets, and the wind banged on us like claps of thunder. There was high land all around and the wind came whirling down into the harbor with terrible force. At the same time the darkness fell upon us, and it was each vessel for itself. The memory of that night will be with me as long as I live. The surface of the water in the harbor was like a cauldron—not rolling or swelling like the waves of the sea, but all seething and shaking like water in a boiling pot. And the wind! Why, we couldn't show our face on the poop. If we had, it would have sent us over like shuttle-cocks. The roaring of the gale, and the thunder of the sea outside, and the crashing of timbers as the ships banged together, added to the darkness of the night, made a scene which is not easily described. Our vessel trembled and bounded like some living thing under the force of the gusts; but her cables held firm, and she rode out the storm until the morning."

"When the day broke we saw a scene which beat anything I ever looked on. The harbor was covered with wreckage—so thickly, in fact, that you could hardly row a boat ashore. The American ship, whose captain had been so confident, was nowhere to be seen. She had been smashed like a cockshell early in the night, and all her crew were lost. Several other ships had been sunk. A Danish barque which had been ly-

## HOUSE CLEANING AT WEMBLEY



The British Empire Exhibition will re-open at Wembley, in April, bigger and better than ever. As last year, the Canadian National Railway will be one of the biggest exhibitors and Mr. H. R. Charlton, manager of the advertising bureau of the company, is at present in England, arranging the placing of the exhibits. Improvements have been made to many of the features shown last year and much work

has been done on an especially fine exhibit designed to attract settlers to Canada. English fogs and rains have not been kind to the exterior of the pavilion of the Canadian National Railway, and a squad of men have been employed to scrub the building, inside and out. The photograph shows men at work washing the outside of the pavilion preparatory to the opening of the fair.

There had only saved herself by cutting down all her masts. Nearly all the jetties around the harbor had been swept away by the wind. A floating dry dock had also been sunk. And, in addition to all this, a tongue of land, which ran out into the sea at the entrance of the harbor, had been clean cut into by the gale, and a piece of it carried away."

"You are right in calling that an exciting experience," I said.

"Oh, I've had a few in my time," he replied. "I had a narrow escape from pirates once."

"Did you really? Come, we must have that!"

"It was in the China Seas. Those waters were infested with pirates at that time. They generally cruised about in queer-rigged, low-lying craft like feluccas. And they could sail, too! In a good breeze they would run a steamer hard in those days, I can tell you. There weren't such clippers on the seas then as there are now. And it was a case of heaven help the crew that they got hold of, for they were murderous, cut-throat villains. They used to tack about in an innocent manner, with the men hidden away, and their 'teeth out of sight,' as the saying is, until they got within fair reach of some merchantman that had only an ordinary crew aboard, and no means of defense. Then, all of a sudden, they would throw long ropes, with grappling irons at the end of them. With these they would hook themselves on to their victim, and before the crew of the merchantman knew what was happening, these fellows would be swarming in scores up the side of the ship, armed with knives. What could they do against such numbers, once the pirates fairly got aboard? Many a ship has been caught in that way. But we had good fortune on our side on the occasion when we came across these villains."

"Yes," I said, much interested—"yes, go on."

"We were holding on our course at an average speed, bound for Peking, where we were going to take on board a cargo of tea. There was hardly any wind blowing, except for occasional puffs, but our ship, being a steamer, was of course independent of winds. We were steaming along when we caught sight of a Chinese craft dodging about in front of us, as though she were trying to catch the occasional puffs of breeze. As far as we could

see, there only seemed to be three or four men aboard. As we came within hailing distance of her, a couple of her men called out to us. From what we could make out, they were asking us to give them a tow, as the wind was so low that they couldn't make headway. I ought to state that we were perfectly defenseless, not having a single gun on board. While we were parleying with them we were all the time drawing nearer. It was just about then that I came on deck. I had a look at her, but somehow I didn't care for her appearance, although she seemed harmless enough. All of a sudden, as we were drawing almost within range of a cable's throw, our captain stared hard at her."

"Take her in tow, eh?" said he. "Not if I know it! All steam ahead there!"

"The order was passed below, and before we hardly realized what was happening, our ship was forging ahead at her top speed. Then the Chinamen showed what they were up to. Some of them suddenly appeared, whom we hadn't seen before, and they began in a great hurry to throw out their grappling hooks at us. They missed, and missed again, and before they could make any further attempts we were out of their reach. You see they could not pursue us, because there was no wind to help them. If they had caught on to us they would have crowded up our side, armed to the teeth. But fortunately, our captain was too old a bird for them. The difficulty was that one could never tell until they began their operations whether they were pirates or not that one had to do with, because there are many peaceful craft of exactly the same appearance sailing the seas. But there was no doubt about that lot, and it was a close shave for us."

I next got my friend to talk about sharks, and he told me some most interesting facts about them; how, for instance, it is the ground-sharks which are often responsible for the total disappearance of a man who has fallen overboard in harbor, or at anchor off the coast; and how they rise from their lair at the bottom whenever they see any object in the clear water above, and drag their prey down, down into the depths below. He also told me a fact that shows what tremendous strength these creatures have.

"Why," said he, "when you harpoon one and give him the windlass line, he races out with it until the handle goes

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round with a whirr that makes you stand clear of it in double-quick time; and I have known occasions, when we have got them aboard, when the flapping of their tails has actually made the vessel shake from stem to stern."

In fact he told me many interesting episodes in his long career, and I parted from him more firmly convinced than ever of what I said before—namely, that there is nothing more interesting to listen to than actual experience, in whatever path of life they come from.

**The World's Oldest Statues.**  
The world's most ancient statue is to be found outside, not inside, the British Museum.

It is said that it took two hundred men from the crew of H.M.S. Topaz, and three hundred natives, to drag the statue from its original site, although it weighs only four tons. It is the work of a race of huge builders and was one of many similar colossal statues, some of them weighing as much as a hundred tons, scattered over Easter Island, in the Pacific.

These hideous images were originally supplied with hats, in some cases weighing another five or six tons, which were red because they were made of tufa or volcanic rock. All the hats have fallen off now and are found lying around the huge statues as though there had been a high wind.

This race of ancient builders left traces in the shape of immense stone monuments right across the Pacific, and many archeologists think that the islands on which these monuments are found are the last remnants left above the surface of a vast submerged continent. There is nothing which fixes the exact period of this achievement, but it is possible that the statues are at least as old as the Pyramids of Egypt.

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Come to the full heart long o'er-wrought,  
O gentle, gentle Sleep!

Come with thine urn of dew,  
Sleep, gentle Sleep! Yet bring  
No voice, love's yearning to renew,  
No vision on thy wing!  
Come, as to folding flowers,  
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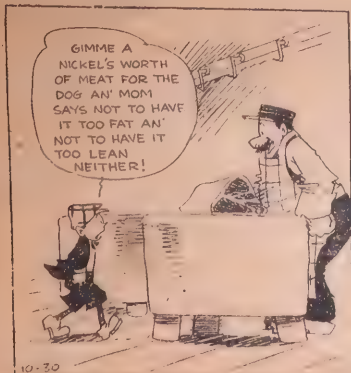
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## REG'LAR FELLERS



## JIMMY GETS HIS ORDERS—By Gene Byrnes.



## Canada from Coast to Coast

Charlottetown, P.E.I.—The total marketed value of the product of the fisheries of Prince Edward Island in 1924 was \$1,201,772, according to a preliminary statement issued by the Bureau of Statistics. Capital invested in the industry last year was \$332,929, while the number of men employed in these operations was 2,587.

Digby, N.S.—Increased activity in the development of the scallop fishery is reported by the scallop fishermen of Digby. They expect to realize, during the season of 1925, approximately \$100,000. Last year the fishermen realized from this industry approximately \$65,000. Orders are coming in from various parts of the United States and Canada, and at the present time they are unable to fill them.

Quebec, Que.—Eighty-four thousand automobiles are now being operated by citizens of the Province of Quebec, representing, at an average upkeep of \$300 per year each, a total expenditure for maintenance alone of \$25,000,000 in each 12 months, according to a statement made by the president of the Montreal Automobile Trade Association.

Toronto, Ont.—According to the publishers of the Toronto Directory, the city's present population is 641,780. With the inhabitants of the suburbs given as 89,029, the population of Greater Toronto is 730,809. Based on these figures and the average yearly growth, Toronto is expected to have a million population in fifteen years' time.

Winnipeg, Man.—Development of a distinctly dairy community within 50 miles of Winnipeg and the settlement of from 300 to 400 families, involving an expenditure approaching \$2,000,000, within the next few years is as-

sured, according to an announcement by Robert Jacob, M.L.A., legal representative of the Manitoba Dairy Farms, Limited.

Regina, Sask. It is understood that representatives of the Industrial Waste Products Corp. of New York have been investigating several sodium sulphate deposits in the province with a view to development by the installation of the new "spray-drying" process for chemicals, which is controlled by this firm. It is stated that a plant covering this process was installed at the salt works near Dunderburg last fall, which resulted in increasing production from 30 to 50 tons of salt daily and has reduced the annual expenditure by approximately \$50,000.

Calgary, Alta.—Calgary claims the sunshine championship among the cities of Canada. E. G. Hartsborn, weather recorder here for the Dominion Government, reports that this city enjoyed 2,218 hours of sunshine in 1924, with July turning in the best performance, 283 hours. May was second with 259; April 244; and August 210. December was low with 70. June was the heaviest month for precipitation with 5 inches and August second with 4.46.

Vernon, B.C.—Although earlier estimates in 1924 predicted a much smaller movement of fruit and vegetables from British Columbia during the season of 1924, the final figures for shipments show that the crop that went to the market was but 14 per cent less than in 1923. Total shipments for 1923 were about 6,000 cars, while for the season just closing the movement was about 900 cars less than the previous year or approximately 5,100 cars.

## DEVELOP FISH TRADE WITH BRITISH CENTRES

### Canadian Product to be Placed on Markets in England and the Continent.

A despatch from London says:—A large party of commercial and business men from London interested in the importation of fish from Canada visited Newport, Monmouthshire, on Thursday and inspected the facilities this port has to offer for the development of this trade.

Although the business has as yet reached only the experimental stage, the results are highly encouraging. Six tons of Nova Scotian fish were recently sold at Billingsgate and at Glasgow and on two French markets, the dealers of which, although skeptical at first, afterwards admitted that buyers from the big hotels and stores had been unable to distinguish between the Canadian fish and that ordinarily offered.

Attention has been more particularly directed to Newport, as an incoming point by reason of the existence of a large area of covered sheds, now vacant, which adjoin the quays and railways, and which could be readily converted into markets. Ambitions of importers are not confined merely to Canadian fish, but hopes are entertained of admitting Canadian dairy products and meat on a large scale.

A tentative scheme has already been negotiated with the Canadian Government Merchant Marine for chartering steamers.

Among the participants in Thursday's inspection at Newport was Chief Inspector of Fisheries Cowies of Ottawa, who has just arrived to report on the situation generally.

The Great Western Railway has promised to provide a quick special service from Newport to British marketing centres and the chief Continental markets.

Apart from this, a population of ten millions exists within one hundred miles radius of Newport. The party returned to London greatly impressed with the opportunities this port offers in this line, one Canadian, a recent arrival here, remarking that he had seen more shipping at Newport than he had ever beheld at Montreal, though until Thursday he had never heard of Newport.

## ONTARIO AGRICULTURAL BOARD ACHIEVES FAVORABLE BALANCE

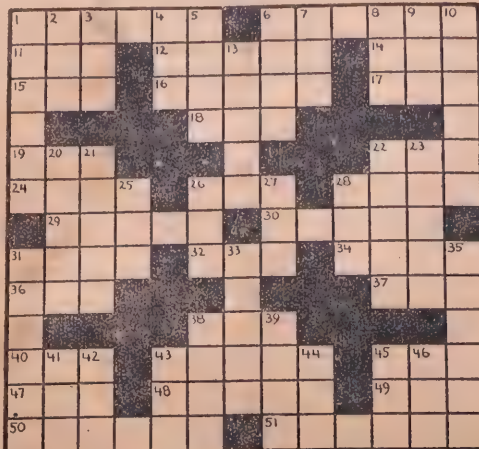
A despatch from Toronto says:—The annual report of the Agricultural Development Board of Ontario, which was made public on Thursday at the Parliament Buildings, showed 990 applications considered for long-term loans during the past year and \$3,652,150 disbursed in one borrower. This number of loans was 34 in excess of the number handled during the previous year, but the total sum distributed was \$147,200 less.

The report of the Board revealed the farm loan policy of Ontario as essentially in a healthy condition. Earnings during the year totalled \$373,824, and administration expenses \$347,119, the result being a net surplus of \$26,705, which wiped out previous deficits from the Board's initial years and left a balance of \$10,641 on the right side of the ledger. Considerable care in safeguarding the interest of the Province in the risks which were carried was also emphasized as a feature of the work, five foreclosures having been carried out during the year, in which the total loss to the Government had been less than \$1,000, this item representing arrears of interest which the sale prices of the properties failed to recover.

Features of the work of the Board are commented upon in the report. During the early part of the year, it is stated, the applications for loans increased greatly over the same months of the previous year, some of the spring months showing a total almost double those of the corresponding months of the year before. In the Autumn, however, there was a distinct falling off as compared with the same months of the year previous. Whether or not such a fact indicates an improvement of farm conditions, the report expresses itself as unable to decide.

In old Ontario the loans granted numbered 432, aggregating \$3,126,000, as against an inspection value amounting to \$6,737,902. The loans granted, therefore, averaged \$4,271 in New Ontario 258 loans were granted, totalling \$455,550 as against 101 inspectors' valuations of \$1,183,124, the loss to the Government had been less than \$1,000.

## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



**SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES**  
Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

- HORIZONTAL**
- Customs
  - Boas
  - Part of verb "to be"
  - Shanty
  - Mineral earth
  - Pen
  - Choice part
  - Motor fuel
  - Before
  - Urge on
  - Black attack fluid
  - The spikened
  - First steamship to cross the Atlantic (abbr.)
  - System of worship
  - Color
  - Praise highly
  - Long for
  - Liquor
  - Willingly
  - Also
  - For
  - Suffix to form feminine nouns
  - Boy's nickname
  - Fertile desert spot
  - Parcel of ground
  - Self
  - Earthen pot
  - Anger
  - Mantle worn by Turks
  - More kind

- VERTICAL**
- Hurry
  - Skill
  - Turkish title
  - Definite article
  - Only
  - Measure out
  - Liquor
  - To dress up
  - Period
  - Place for recreation
  - Poison
  - Urchin
  - Wonderful
  - Spring flower
  - Change
  - Owing
  - Ocean
  - Perceive
  - Far west State (abbr.)
  - Separated
  - Looped rope
  - To cherish
  - Deserve; merit
  - Ill
  - Self
  - Unit of money (abbr.)
  - South American plant
  - Kind of snowshoe
  - Cover
  - Raw metal

## ZIONISTS RETURN TO THE HOLY LAND

### Flag of Judea Flies Over High Seas for First Time in More Than 2,000 Years.

A despatch from New York says:—For the first time in more than 2,000 years the flag of Judea again floats on the high seas. Amid the cheers and tears of more than 10,000 Jews, participating in an emotional demonstration, the President Arthur of the American-Palestine Line, sailed Thursday noon on her maiden voyage, carrying 500 Zionists to the Holy Land.

At 7 a.m., four hours before the scheduled sailing time, the crowd began to assemble on the pier and along the water front. The crowd became so large that 100 reserve police were called.

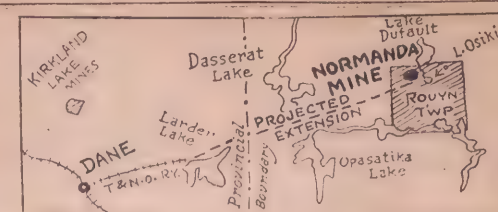
Her cargo of 4,000 tons included farm implements donated by Nathan Straus, and a large quantity of medicines given by Jewish women's organizations.

### 9 Per Cent of Britons' Incomes Goes to Pay Allies Debts

A despatch from London says:—An influential deputation from the Association of the British Chamber of Commerce, including many peers and British leaders of business, asked Chancellor of the Exchequer Churchill to attempt to collect the Allied debts.

The speakers said the current trade depression, the high cost of living, and unemployment were largely due to excessive taxation. They said the payments to the United States on behalf of the Allies amounted to nine cents on the dollar in the income of every British citizen.

Good Advice.  
Never let the radio set stand before an open window. It might rain and the set would be damaged if it were to get wet. Even if the set were not touched by the water itself, it might be damaged by the moisture carried in by the atmosphere.



The above map shows how the Toronto and Northern Ontario railway will be extended to tap the iron mining fields as announced by Premier Ferguson in the Legislature. The extension is from the present terminus at Lake Huron to Lake Oseki, near the Norman mines, a distance of 37 miles.

## THE WEEK'S MARKETS

**TORONTO**

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$2.08; No. 2 North, \$1.98; No. 3 North, \$1.94; No. 4 wheat, \$1.84.

Man. oats—No. 2 CW, 64¢; No. 3 CW, 60¢; extra No. 1 feed, 61¢; No. 1 feed, 58¢; No. 2 feed, 54¢.

All the above c.i.f. bay ports.

Am. corn, track, Toronto—No. 2 yellow, \$1.42.

Milled—Del., Montreal freights, bags included. Bran, per ton, \$30; shorts, per ton, \$32; middlings, \$38; good feed flour, per bag, \$2.40.

Ont. oats—No. 2 white, 50 to 53¢.

Ont. wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1.50 to \$1.64; No. 3 winter, not quoted; No. 1 commercial, nominal, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freight.

Barley—Malting, 79 to 85¢.

Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.21 to \$1.26.

Man. flour, first pat., \$10.80, Toronto; do, second pat., \$10.80, Toronto.

Straw—Carrots, per ton, \$8.50 to \$9.

Screenings—Standard, reclaimed, 1. o.b. bay ports, per ton, \$28.

Hay—No. 2 per ton, \$14; No. 3 per ton, \$11.50 to \$12; mixed, per ton, \$10 to \$12.

Cheese—New, large, 24¢; twins, 25¢; triplets, 25¢; Sultons, 26¢. Old, large, 25 to 26¢; twins, 26 to 27¢; triplets, 27 to 28¢.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 36 to 37¢; No. 1 creamery, 35 to 36¢; No. 2, 33 to 34¢. Dairy prints, 28 to 29¢.

Eggs—Fresh extras, in cartons, 38 to 39¢; loose, 37 to 38¢; fresh firsts, 34 to 35¢; splits, 32¢.

Live poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 20¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15¢; roosters, 15¢; ducklings, 6 lbs. and up, 22¢.

Dressed poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 28¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20¢; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over M.F., 35¢; do, corn fed, 32¢; roosters, 20¢; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 27¢; turkeys, 35¢.

Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 6½¢; primes, 6¢.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 13½¢ per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 13½¢; 5-lb. tins, 14¢; 2½-lb. tins, 15½¢ to 16¢.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.40; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.30 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26¢.

**SMOKED MEATS**—Hams, med., 29 to 31¢; cooked hams, 43 to 44¢; smoked rolls, 20 to 21¢; cottage rolls, 22 to 24¢; breakfast bacon, 26 to 28¢; special brand breakfast bacon, 32 to 34¢; backs, boneless, 34 to 39¢.

**CURED MEATS**—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$17.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$16.80; 90 lbs. and up, \$15.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$35; heavyweight rolls, \$27.

**LARD**—Pure tierces, 19 to 19½¢; tubs, 19½ to 20¢; pails, 20 to 20½¢; prints, 22 to 22½¢; shortening tierces, 14½ to 15¢; tubs, 15 to 15½¢; pails, 15½ to 16¢; prints, 16½¢.

**CHOICE HEAVY STEERS**, \$7.75 to \$8.50; do, good, \$7 to \$7.50; butcher steers, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; do, good, \$6.50 to \$6.75; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$5 to \$5.25; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$5 to \$5.25; butchers cows, choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; do, fair, \$3.50 to \$4; do, med., \$3.25 to \$3.50; do, poor, \$2.50 to \$3; butchers bulls, \$2.25 to \$2.75; butchers steers, \$2.45 to \$2.50; do, fair, \$2.75 to \$2.85; do, med., \$2.50 to \$2.65; do, poor, \$2.25 to \$2.45; stockers, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$4.25; calves, choice, \$11 to \$12; do, med., \$7 to \$8; do, grassers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; milch cows, choice, \$6 to \$7; do, med., \$4 to \$5; do, poor, \$3 to \$4; springers, choice, \$7 to \$8; good light sheep, \$8 to \$9; heavyies and bucks, \$4.50 to \$5.25; bulls, \$3 to \$4; good ewe lambs, \$14.50 to \$16; do, med., \$10 to \$12; do, culls, \$8 to \$9; hogs, thick smooths, fed and watered, \$12.50; do, f.o.b., \$12.25; do, country points, \$12; do, off cars, \$12.25; select, premium, \$2.42.

**MONTREAL**

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 34 to 34½¢; No. 2 creamery, 33 to 33½¢; seconds, 32 to 32½¢. Eggs—Fresh extras, 38 to 39¢; fresh firsts, 35 to 36¢. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 70 to 75¢.

Bulls, \$3.50 to \$4; calves, good weight, \$10 to \$11; do, mixed lots, com. to fair, \$9; hogs, mixed lots, \$13.60; do, select, \$14; sows, \$11 and up.



Dr. William Simons, well-known German diplomat, is acting as interim president of Germany, succeeding the late President Ebert and pending the holding of the presidential elections.

### Summer Time Begun by Three Powers on April 4-5

A despatch from Paris says:—Summer time will become effective in France, Belgium and England simultaneously—the night of April 4-5. The British Government had notified France that a bill providing for the inauguration of Summer time then will be presented to the House of Commons on Friday.

The French Government will issue a similar decree, and Belgium has agreed to follow suit.

### ONTARIO RED CROSS REPORTS DEVELOPMENT

#### Four New Outpost Hospitals Opened in North—Increase in Junior Membership.

A despatch from Toronto says:—The opening of four new outpost hospitals in Northern Ontario was the most important development of work reported by the executive committee of the Ontario Red Cross.

Two of these outposts at Nakina and Hornepayne have been erected by the Canadian National Railway

and will be operated by the Red Cross, with a staff of two trained nurses in each outpost and provision for seven patients. A one-nurse outpost at Quibell and a small hospital with seven beds at Rainy River complete the additions to this branch of work since the end of 1924, making a total of twelve outposts now in operation. Applications for as many more have been received and it is hoped to increase this service during the year. Valuable co-operation in equipping and maintaining the outposts has been given by the local women's organizations, Women's Institutes, Chapters of the Daughters of the Empire, and the Association of Mining Women of Ontario. It is estimated that the four new outposts will provide a nursing service for some 12,000 persons in the scattered communities of Northern Ontario.

An encouraging increase in the enrolments in Junior Red Cross was reported—148 new auxiliaries with a membership of 4,568 having been added in the past two months, bringing the total membership up to 26,872 for the current school year.

### SEALING STEAMER CRUSHED BY ICE PACTS

#### Entire Crew of 80 Men Rescued by Another Sealer as Vessel Sinks.

A despatch from St. John's, Nfld., says:—Word was received here late in the evening that the entire crew of 80 men of the sealing steamer Stella Maris, which was last reported to be sinking by the head after being crushed in the ice, had been rescued and taken aboard the sealer Prospero.

The sealing steamer Stella Maris, one of the fleet which sailed from this port Saturday for the annual seal hunt, sent a radio message at daylight that she had been crushed in the ice and was sinking.

The Stella Maris, with eight other sealing steamers, was on its way to the northern Grand Banks, where the young seals are found on floating ice floes. The hunting season will open on Friday, but the vessels were permitted to sail earlier so that they might have time to locate the herds and prepare for killing.

The message received from the Stella Maris gave her position as 90 miles off Notre Dame Bay, which is on the north-east coast of Newfoundland.

## OLDER THAN OLDEST PYRAMID IS CITY BURIED IN MOHAVE DESERT

### Dwellings Excavated in 10,000-Year-Old Town Which is Example of Pre-Pueblo Civilization.

A despatch from New York says:—buried city was made for the first time at the museum Thursday morning.

The party came upon the buried city late in last November, and have excavated between fifteen and twenty rooms of the continuous Pueblo dwelling that lies sprawled out for six miles in the desert.

From the present excavations and from the relics discovered in the rooms of the city, the explorers are able to say positively that this buried city was a pre-Pueblo Pueblo Grande de Nevada, the oldest example of Pueblo civilization in America, and goes back to a period between 6,000 and 10,000 years ago. The ruins uncovered are classified by archaeologists as pre-Pueblo.



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 For Mrs. Boldrick

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Lives of those who had been buried there and demanded no end of perseverance and faith.

Another fine work carried out by the society under Mrs. Boldrick's presidency was the protection of the noble old elm that stands by the stream in the heart of the village. The construction of a retaining wall has kept back the inroads of the stream and has preserved for future generations as fine an example of a free-growing elm as can be found anywhere.

In these days when men and women lay so much stress on merely material advancement, it is a matter of pride to have lived and wrought to create and foster a love for the beautiful in nature. It has been said that no one who loves flowers and gardens and all that is beautiful in nature can ever be a criminal. God's growing things chasten and purify and ennoble those who live with them. And so in doing honour to Mrs. Boldrick, the Horticultural Society honoured itself by a belated recognition of a splendidly unselfish community service.

**Some of Best Roses for Garden Culture**

There are Over 1000 Named Varieties of Roses but This List Includes Many Suitable for Starting Rose Garden

The Hybrid Tea class of Roses are now most popular and are the most satisfactory for the majority of the gardens in that they give more continuance of bloom than any other class. The Pernetianas would come under the same heading as the differences between the two are not easy to determine, except by an expert. They do well under the same conditions and need about the same protection in the winter in the colder sections of the country.

Betty is one of the hardiest of the H. T. roses of medium growth, colour coppery rose outside and brush inside.

Caroline Testout a beautiful shade of pink, but not always a good shape.

Constance, one of the best yellow roses, buds orange but paler on opening.

Edel and Edith Cavell are two new cream roses, a colour that is not common, so that they are particularly welcome.

General MacArthur, G. O. Waud Gruss and Teplitz are three red roses varying considerably in shade and habit. The last named lacks form, but for its colour and general beauty as a plant, it should be in every garden. It is a constant bloomer throughout the season.

Independence Day is a beautiful shade of flame colour. The shape is good and it is delicately scented.

Isobel a beautiful single rose of carmine salmon with a yellow base.

Jean G. N. Forrester, Mrs. E. J. Walker and the Queen Alexandra are three strong growing roses with brilliant coloured flowers. The mixture of red and yellow that is in them is difficult to describe, but very effective in the garden.

Lady Pirrie, Los Angeles and Ophelia are beautiful apricot shades and all have good form and beautiful buds and are particularly effective as cut flowers.

Lady Ashtown, La Tosca and Mrs. Henry Morse are all pink and all beautiful. The two first are old favorites and excellent growers, La Tosca being the more vigorous of the two. Mrs. H. Morse is a newer variety of deep rose colour which is fast gaining the front rank both as a cut flower and a bedding rose in spite of the fact that in some localities it is subject to mildew.

Souvenir de Claudius Pernet the beautiful new yellow rose that is so popular with florists grows well in the garden, but does not give so many blooms as some other varieties.

Mrs. Aaron Ward and Mme. Ravary are two old favorites of delightful yellow shades in the bud. They are dwarf growers but very floriferous.

The list could be continued, but these few varieties would make a good start for a beautiful Rose Garden.

Isabella Preston, Specialist in Ornamental Gardening, Central Exp. Farm.

**RURAL CHINA**

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when in all parts of China there was greater readiness to listen to the Gospel. That is symptomatic. If only adequate moral leadership were in sight and there was greater readiness to recognise in Christ the Outstanding Reality, China would emerge from its confusion and become the World's Surprise. Progress might then be made "through oblivion of the past" and superfluous humbug would be left behind.

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 John B. Coult, Youngstown, Alta.

**"Non-intoxicating" Beer**

Editor, News-Argus,  
 There is much confusion of thought just now as to what constitutes an intoxicating beer. For the following information we are indebted to the Ottawa Citizen.

"Out of fifteen examples of pre-war beer analysed in Britain in 1914, the highest alcoholic strength was found in heavy stock ale, which showed the percentage named—6.68. The lowest was 3.81 for light bitter ale. The figures for Burton and London ales were respectively 4.17 and 5.57 per cent. The highest in Germany was 4.53 per cent. for the strongest Beck beer. The average for all Germany was 3.75. The strongest pre-war beer in America was 6.46 per cent. The lightest was 2.68. It is now one-half of one per cent. In the face of these figures will anyone seriously contend that four and one-half per cent. beer is just "near-beer" or that it is "harmless and non-intoxicating?"

E. M. Cook.

**Immortality of the Soul**

To the Editor of News-Argus,—

Having received so many requests for an explanation of these terms that are so generally misunderstood, I submit the following in answer to the questions propounded by Mr. Belshaw in your paper some weeks ago.

The uses of the word "soul" and "spirit" in the Bible are so clear, and their distinctions are so plain that there is no need of the general confusion that prevails.

The word "soul," *nephesh* in Hebrew, means "sentient being," that is, any being having senses. It is evident then that all beings such as man, animals and even reptiles are souls, and so it is applied in Gen. 1:21 to "every living creature that moveth." In Gen. 1:20 and 30 "soul" is applied in the margin to "moving thing that have life," and "creeping things that have life." In Numbers 31:28 the word "soul" is applied to "persons, bees, asses and sheep." It does not apply then to something in man, but to man himself. "Man became a living soul" (Gen. 2:7).

Dr. Wilson, a most noted authority, says: "It may be worthy of notice that of the 700 times which *nephesh* (soul) occurs in the Old Testament, and the 105 times that *psuche* (soul) occurs in the New Testament, not once is the word immortal or immortality, or deathless, or never-dying, found in connection, as qualifying terms."

The term "spirit" (*Hebrew, ruach; Greek, pneuma*) is 28 times translated "breath," and in Scripture has only 4 significations: 1. It represented primarily the air we breathe. 2. It denotes a being, as angels. 3. It represents an influence from a being. 4. It indicates a state of feeling. It is never therefore a mysterious something that lives on as a separate personality after death. When the body returns to the dust, the spirit (power of life) returns to God, and He only has power to use this in the new body in the awakening.

The uses of the word "spirit" are never once connected with words which indicate that it is deathless, never-dying or immortal.

Both of these terms then, soul and spirit, when properly understood show the falsity of Satan's great lie, the doctrine of the immortality of the soul, which had its origin and sole support when he told mother Eve "Ye shall not surely die." God says "The soul that sinneth it shall die."

Respectfully yours,  
 J. FRAPPY.

**Fair Dates**

Belleville—Sept. 1-4.  
 Addington—Sept. 11-12.  
 Stirling—Sept. 15-16.  
 Napanee—Sept. 15-18.  
 Peterboro—Sept. 15-19.  
 Frankford—Sept. 17-18.  
 Brighton—Sept. 18-19.  
 Shannonville—Sept. 19.  
 Coe Hill—Sept. 21-22.  
 Bancroft—Sept. 23-24.  
 Lindsay—Sept. 24-26.  
 Picton—Sept. 27-28.  
 Marmora—Sept. 25-28.  
 Colborne—Sept. 29-30.  
 Tweed—October 1-2.  
 Campbellford—October 1-2.  
 Madoc—October 6-7.  
 Warkworth—October 8-9.

**EXAMINATION DATES SET**

The dates for Department examinations have been set, as follows:  
 High School Entrance—June 24-26.  
 Lower School—June 23-26.  
 Middle School—June 22-24 July 7.  
 Upper School—June 22-24 July 7.

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**Obituary**

**ROBERT MORTON**

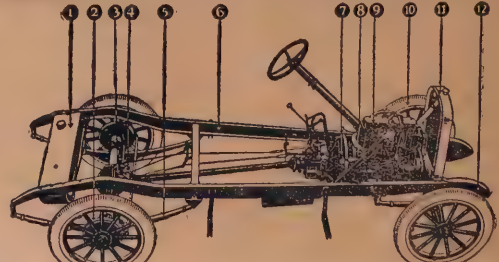
An old and highly respected resident of Sine in the person of Mr. Robert Morton, passed away at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Clayton Tucker, on Saturday. He suffered a stroke of paralysis on the previous Wednesday, from which he never rallied. Mr. Morton was born in the township of Hungerford nearly 74 years ago. He had carried on the business of blacksmithing at Sine for almost 50 years and

was widely known for his sterling honesty and for his kindness in helping anyone who was in trouble or distress.

He leaves two daughters, Miss Melissa and Mrs. Clayton Tucker; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Johnson of Sine and Mrs. John Meiklejohn of Campbellford. Also one brother Alex. of Stirling.

The funeral was held on Monday forenoon from the home of Mr. Clayton Tucker to Bethel church. Interment was made at Bethel cemetery.

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**Ivanhoe**

The special services held in Beulah Church for the past two weeks closed on Friday evening. The attendance throughout was very fair and the pastor gave some excellent sermons. Rev. Mr. Lane of West Huntingdon and Rev. Mr. Whyte of Eldorado very ably assisted during the last week.

On Thursday evening of this week Rev. Mr. Whyte will give a lecture and report of the great Missionary Convention held in Washington from January 28th to Feb. 2, of this year. Mr. Whyte is a very impressive speaker and his report will certainly be a treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clements and family, Mrs. John Benson, Miss Gladys Rollins, Mrs. Baldwin Reid, Miss Myrtle Reid and Mr. Harold Reid attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Jones of Stirling on Monday. Miss Myrtle Reid and Miss Gladys Rollins have been boarding with Mrs. Jones for almost three years while attending High School in Stirling.

Mr. Gerald Reid spent the week end with friends in Belleville.

Wedding bells are ringing in town.

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## Former Wellmans Boy Given Nomination

Son of Robert Totton Nominated for  
Provincial Constituency of Bengough,  
Sask.

Dr. C. R. Totton, son of Mr. Robt. Totton of Wellmans was selected as Progressive candidate for Bengough (Sask) constituency at the convention held on March 5th. The following extract from Moosejaw papers will be of interest to many of our readers, who will doubtless feel a measure of pride at the success of a kinsman and former neighbor.

Verwood, March 5th.—Dr. C. R. Totton, of Verwood, was nominated as Progressive candidate for the provincial constituency of Bengough, at nominating convention held in Verwood on Thursday night. The convention was called by those of independent thought and A. B. Wenans was chairman of the gathering, there being about 150 present.

The names of Dr. Totton, R. J. Heath and H. Ross were placed before the convention. Each of these outlined platform upon which they stood and what ideals on Provincial politics they followed. Afterwards the vote was taken and Dr. Totton, who espoused the Progressive platform, was chosen by the meeting. Dr. Totton is well known in the Bengough constituency.

## St. Andrew's Guild

The regular meeting of St. Andrew's Guild took place on Monday evening under the direction of Miss Hume. Mrs. J. M. McGee occupied the chair, the scripture reading was taken by Mrs. Donnell and prayer by Mrs. Nolan. Master Jack Parry gave a splendid recitation, Mrs. R. H. Williams an instrumental solo and Miss Hazel Burditt a song.

An interesting talk was expected when Miss Ida Marshall was announced as the speaker, and the listeners were not disappointed. Miss Marshall chose as her subject "The Common place as seen through the eyes of various poets and writers" she pointed out that what may be ordinary and humdrum to one person may be full of promise to another. People are apt to find commonplace nature, books, friends, home and even opportunities, not realizing their true value until they are deprived of them. Many quotations were given, chiefly from Canadian poets to prove the truth of the speaker's statements.

A hearty vote of thanks to Miss Marshall was moved by Miss Hume at the close of the meeting.

## Personal

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Dominion Stores have put up a resplendent new sign.

A western cattle buyer has spent a few days this last week buying holstein cattle to ship west.

Mr. E. F. Montgomery of Kingston, Federal egg inspector was in Stirling yesterday. He states that the egg grading regulations are being strictly enforced and gives much credit to some of our Stirling merchants who are doing their grading very efficiently.

Mrs. Donnell, Sr., who has been confined to her bed most of the winter, had the misfortune to fall and break her hip on Sunday evening. She has been in much pain since and her condition is critical.

## MARRYING FOR MONEY

Madge—Then you believe in marrying for money?

Marie—I wouldn't say that exactly; but when you marry a man it's just as well to know there's something about him you will always like.

## Three of Stirling's Sterling Old Men



MR. BIDWELL SINE

Perhaps no one in Stirling is more highly respected than Mr. Bidwell Sine, the central figure in the picture above. Mr. Sine celebrated his 85th birthday on the 11th of March and received many hearty congratulations. He refers with a deep and reverent pride to his "second birth" when at the age of 21 he became converted and set his affections "on that city not made with hands". That experience of his youth has colored his whole life. In spite of his years he is still active and alert and is away helping some friends make maple syrup this week. "You know" he says with a twinkle in his eye "young people don't know how to make syrup any more". May "Uncle Bid", as many of the younger generation affectionately call him, enjoy to the full the eve of his life.

## ALEX MORTON

Another of the fathers in Israel is Mr. Alex Morton, who stands at the right in the picture. Mr. Morton was born in Hungerford township nearly 80 years ago. When but a boy he moved with his parents to Rawdon and there spent most of his active career. He spent two or three years as a young man in Pennsylvania, where he was engaged in supply timber for the mines. Mr. Morton has lived in Stirling for about five years and is a familiar figure on our streets. He is a staunch Methodist and an Orangeman and is known to be one of the best authorities on the family tree of the Morton family, which is no mean accomplishment as anyone who attended the family re-union last summer knows.

## REV. JAS. HOSKIN

Rev. Jas. Hoskin, the third member of the group is having a well earned rest in his old age. He was born in Huntingdon in 1846 and was in the ministry for over 40 years, most of which was spent in Manitoba. Occasionally he conducts the services in the Methodist church with his old time vigor and power.

## Blairton Items

Your correspondent has been following the prevailing fashion and been very friendly with lagrippe, but am glad to be able to send along a few items, etc.

Our old friend Mr. Chas. Keller of Healey Falls, who has been so popular with all tourists for so many years, passed away quite suddenly, and will be much missed, as "Dad Keller," as all called him was a genuinely good sport. His son Stanley will still keep the favorite resort.

Another near neighbor, Mr. Martin Clark, also passed to the great beyond. Some are making a quantity of maple syrup. I well remember our home bush near Stirling where every one was welcome and always received lots of taffy, etc.

Every busy housewife is busy these days housecleaning. Oh how nice for the little "bungalow" wife who has but few rooms—not like your humble correspondent with 19 rooms.

Easter will soon be here and I'm sure all are glad, while the real cold weather was of short duration, still we all welcome spring.

## St. Andrew's Church Opposes Union

By Majority of 83 Members  
Decide Against Entering  
United Church.

The congregation of St. Andrew's, Stirling concluded its voting on the Union question on Tuesday evening. The poll closed at 9 o'clock and the result of the vote was announced some 20 minutes later. There were 133 votes polled of which 108 were opposed to Union and 25 in favour. There were no spoiled ballots. The vote was a fairly large one, as only 83 of those entitled to vote failed to exercise their privilege.

Mr. L. Meiklejohn acted as chairman and announced the result of the vote, which was received in respectful silence by a large number of members who had assembled for that purpose. The chairman announced that a meeting of those who had voted for the Union would be held this evening in the basement of the church. After the Lord's prayer had been repeated in unison, the gathering dispersed.

## Public Library Board Plans Better Service

Library to Remain Open on Tuesday  
and Thursday Evenings—Changes in  
Rules.

The annual meeting of the Stirling Public Library was held recently, when everything was shown by the various reports presented to be in a favourable condition. The circulation of books, one of the most important factors, is steadily increasing which clearly demonstrates the fact that the public generally is interested in such a worthy educational institution.

The efficient president, Mrs. J. McC. Potts, who has for many years occupied the chair gave an excellent and inspiring address on Library work which was much appreciated by the Board.

The election of officers followed: Mrs. J. McC. Potts was re-elected for the important position of President; Mr. Ernest Morton, Treas.; Rev. B. F. Byers, Secretary. It was further decided that a new set of Rules and Regulations be framed, which was done at a postponed meeting. These will give the public further advantages.

Arrangements have been made to keep the library open for an hour on Tuesday and Thursday evgs. Commencing next Tuesday the reading room will be open from 7.30 to 8.30 p.m. and each succeeding Thursday and Tuesday evening at the same hour. This added privilege will no doubt be appreciated by the patrons of the library many of whom have frequently expressed a desire to be permitted to use the library in the evenings.

It might be noted too, that newspapers and magazines are placed on the racks promptly upon their arrival through the mail. The papers available include: The Globe, The Mail and Empire, Belleville Ontario, Montreal Standard, Sunday edition New York Times, Campbellford Herald, Stirling News-Argus and others.

The magazines include: Popular Science, St. Nicholas Radio News, National Geographic, Literary Digest, Good Housekeeping Vogue, Rod and Gun, Red Book and several others.

## NEW RULES

One of the new rules permits patrons to take a book of non-fiction with a book of fiction on one card. Books must be returned to the shelves before being re-issued. In stormy weather books must be wrapped and at all times books carried in vehicles must be wrapped.

Magazines one month old may be borrowed at the discretion of the librarians.

Miss Ethel Anderson will have charge of the library on Tuesday and Thursday evenings for the next few weeks.

## Poultry Aristocrats

The poultry ranch of Chas. Vanallen and son, at the east end of the village presents an animated scene these days. There one may see the aristocrats of a score or more breeds of poultry, for the Vanallens specialize in exhibition stock. That they have the goods is proven by the fact that they carried off hundreds of prizes at the poultry shows all over eastern Ontario, this last fall.

Spring work in a poultry farm where so many distinct breeds are handled is exacting enough and requires much care and special knowledge. Mr. Vanallen uses an incubator of course, and expects to run off three batches of chicks this spring.

## Many Happy Returns



W. S. MARTIN

who is celebrating his 76th birthday to day, Mr. Martin has spent his life in Stirling. He began his business career at the age of 13 and was long one of the most successful merchants in the village. He has been manager of the local branch of the Union Bank of Canada for 16 years. But private business did not absorb all his energies. He served 18 years on the village council, eight of which were in the Reeve's chair, and was Warden of Hastings County in 1895. He is now nearing the end of 20 years of service on the Board of Education.

In church life Mr. Martin has been at least equally active. He has been a member of the Finance Committee of the Methodist Church for over fifty years and has been connected with the Sunday School as pupil, teacher or superintendent for nearly 70 years. He has conducted the Young Ladies Bible class for several years.

His fellow citizens will wish for him a long, serene and happy old age.

## MARRIED FIFTY YEARS

Holloway Couple Celebrate  
Their Golden Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eggleton of Holloway celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage, on March 17th. The groom of half a century, who is 73 years of age, and the bride, who is 68 years have spent the greater part of their wedded life in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Eggleton are the parents of three children, living, namely: Thomas S. W. Eggleton of Leslie, Sask., Percy A. Eggleton on the home farm, and Mrs. C. Fitchett also of Holloway. They have two grandchildren Helen and Albert.

During the day Mr. and Mrs. Eggleton received many messages of congratulations and best wishes from friends; and the members of the Eggleton Women's Missionary Society, of which Mrs. Eggleton has been a member ever since its organization, sent them a post card shower which was a pleasant surprise.

In the evening a party was given at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, at which a number of relatives and neighbours were invited, Mr. and Mrs. Eggleton were the recipients of several beautiful gifts.

## Hon. Duncan Marshall Speaks

Hon. Duncan Marshall was the guest of his brother Mr. J. S. Marshall on Sunday evening and Monday. He addressed the Rotary Club of Belleville at their weekly luncheon on Monday. The club celebrated "agriculture day" and every member brought a farmer friend as a guest. Mr. Marshall spoke on "Agriculture and its Relation to the Development of Canada", a subject upon which he is thoroughly qualified to speak.

## Martha Made Over Pleases Audience

The Dramatic Club of Mount Pleasant were met with a capacity house when they presented their play "Martha Made Over" on Monday evening under the auspices of "The Young People's League" of Stirling Methodist Church. This is a bright clean play, true to life and was exceptionally well played. "Martha" taken by Miss Jessie Gemmel made the mistake which many women make of letting herself become a household drudge, but she learned her lesson before it was too late. All the parts were well taken but special mention should be made of Samantha, Miss Helen Sharp. The program was completed by excellent solos from Mrs. Elgin Chard and Miss Bessie Conley.

## Fire in Chimney Causes Excitement

Considerable excitement was caused shortly before twelve o'clock Sunday morning by a chimney fire in the house occupied by Mr. Dan Derry.

Great masses of smoke poured from the chimney and from one of the upstairs windows, and as a good many citizens were in church Mr. Derry decided to take no chances and rang the fire gong.

The fire soon burned out without doing any damage. The house is owned by Mr. Walter Martin and until a few weeks ago was occupied by Mr. Potter, formerly buttermaker at the Stirling creamery.

## METHODIST MISSION BAND

The Mission Band of Stirling Methodist Church is arranging for a special programme for Thursday, April 2nd, at the Church. A splendid set of lantern views of Chinese life and customs will be shown. These pictures were taken by Dr. F. C. Stephenson when he was in China a few years ago and are especially good views. Then there will be pictures illustrating a little play called "Yang," to be given by the children. The entire programme will be of much interest and the Band hopes to have many of its grown up friends present to enjoy it. There will be a silver collection.

## River Valley W. I.

River Valley Women's Institute meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Boulton on March 5th with an attendance of 15. The meeting was opened by singing the Opening Ode and repeating Lord's prayer. Community singing was led by Miss Nellie Seales.

Question drawer answered by Mrs. Boulton, a number of good hints for home work were given.

Reading "How we kept Mother's birthday" by Mrs. M. Vandervoort. Forestry contest was given and a reading by Mrs. Hanna, "A Silent Partner".

Collection 91c.  
The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Pyear, April 2nd. Lunch Committee in charge, Mrs. Alex. Park, Mrs. A. Pyear, Mrs. M. Donahue, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh. Visitors welcome.

## River Valley

Mrs. Mary Barragar spent Friday night with Mrs. Annie Bush.

Mr. John Sager has installed a new radio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chard and children spent Sunday with Mr. T. J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bush and Adeline spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Bush, 2nd Concession Sidney.

The River Valley W. I. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Pyear on Thursday, April 2nd.

We were sorry to hear Miss Bessie Rosebush was on the sick list last week and had to close her school for the week.

Mr. Jared Hanna spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. Dave Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanna spent Friday afternoon in Frankford.

## Grand Orange Lodge Eastern Ontario Meets

Important Assembly in Ottawa Last  
Week Attended by Delegates from all  
Portions of Eastern Ontario.

The Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario, East, held their annual meeting in Ottawa County Lodge Room, in Gloucester St. Ottawa, on Wednesday and Thursday, March 18, 19. W. G. M. Bro. C. A. Lount, of Cornwall was the presiding officer. A very large number were in attendance from all over the Eastern Jurisdiction. On Wednesday morning, a deputation from the City Council consisting of Mayor Bellharris and Ald. Crooks visited the Lodge Room and extended a civic welcome to the Brethren. Matters of great importance to the Order were carefully discussed and considered and altogether it was a very successful gathering.

The newly elected officers for the ensuing year are W. G. M. Bro. Graham of Kingston; D.G.M. Bro. T. Ashburn Kidd, Kingston; J. D. G. M. Bro. J. Armstrong, Ottawa. The representatives from Stirling were: G. H. Luery, D. M. No. 3, W. J. Donnan, W. M., L. O. L. 110.

## Stirling Public School Weekly Test Exams.

WEEKLY TEST EXAMS  
III Class, mixed papers.  
I. Marlow, 92; P. Reid, 90; B. Oranston, 88; G. Irvine, 88; J. Moore, 88; H. Meiklejohn, 84; W. Ward, 80; D. John, 70; H. Montgomery, 77; B. Barrett, 75; E. Cain, 76; J. Hulin, 74; G. Tulloch, 74; V. Eggleton, 68; H. Alcombrac, 63; B. Shadbolt, 61; H. Jones 54.  
IV Class, Literature.  
P. Shea, 82; L. Faires, 80; I. Martin, 79; P. Bailey, 74; G. McKee, 71; L. Anderson, 70; R. Barrett, 70; M. McKee, 70; F. Gould, 68; H. Bailey, 67; B. Belshaw, 66; C. Marshall, 65; M. Geary, 64; J. Shadbolt, 58; J. Bailey, 43.

## COMING EVENTS

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE WILL  
present "Monsieur Beaucaire" in the  
Opera House, Wednesday April 1st,  
8.15 p.m. Admission 35c. Reserve  
Seat 50c. Plan at McGuire's Store  
Saturday. 2a.

## NO DANGER

That You Will Not Like  
'DANGEROUS MONEY'

Bebe Daniels is the star—she fell  
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## Love Gives Itself

THE STORY OF A BLOOD FEUD

BY ANNIE S. SWAN.

"Love gives itself and is not bought."—Longfellow.

### CHAPTER IX.—(Cont'd.)

"I don't just know where I am," declared Judy. "I shan't know until I've had it out with Alan. I only know that I have never been so sick of my life!"

"It is hard on you, of course. And if Alan actually marries that woman!"

"He can't," interrupted Judy. "And he won't, if I can prevent it. It is, as you say, not decent. I can't understand it, anyhow, look at it as I like. Good-bye, Aunt Isabel. Thank you for bringing me so far. I'll go through the Drane wood and get home quickly—yes, really, this is my best way!"

"Good-bye, my dear, and I hope your strong common sense and right feeling will have some effect on your headstrong brother."

Judy rather dismally shook her head. She felt a vast impatience with the members of the sex who complicated life so frightfully for their fellows!

"If there were no men," she said to herself, as she kicked a stone along the road with the toe of her neat, serviceable boot, "how much easier life would be—but how dull!" she added, with a little smile of scorn at the futility of her argument.

When she re-entered the big, lonely, quiet house, a sudden sense of loneliness overcame her, and, sitting down on the old settee, she hid her face and began to cry quite quietly.

Judy in tears was the most disturbing sight Alan Rankine had ever seen! When he entered the house not long after, and found her thus, he was conscience-stricken.

"Why, Judy, whatever is the matter?" he asked blankly.

"Oh, don't ask me, Alan Rankine!" she cried, looking up with a sudden gesture of anger. "Do you think you have treated me fairly—exposing me to the treatment I have suffered to-day, and leaving me to learn things I ought to have known, just from anybody?"

"Let us go into the Pool, and have it out, Judy, my dear. I thought it was the kindest thing I could do to keep quiet till some order emerged from the frightful chaos my life has got into."

"The chaos you have made!" she flashed back as she went before him along the passage to the old familiar room.

It has a western window, through which the setting sun was streaming, and it lay on Judy's face when she turned round to look at him, making it stand out rather thin and wistful in the clear glow.

"Oh, Alan, this thing can't be true! Is it? You haven't stepped in and robbed Peter? You don't mean to say you are going to make her mistress of Stair!"

Judy's tone was more than wounded and surprised; it was actually hostile. Listening to the voice, and observing the unusual hardening of the expression, Rankine realized that he had not done well to shut his sister out of the new current of his life.

"I've been wrong, Judy," he said, very humbly. "Will you sit down here

and just let me tell you what has happened as best I can?"

Judy sat down, and as she listened to the extraordinary recital—all the more telling, because it was told so baldly and simply—her heart was a confused medley of emotions.

She could not but be sorry for this big, impulsive, warm-hearted man-child, though her common sense tried to warn her that the tale was one hardly to be credited.

"You must acquit me of any wilful plan to treat Peter Garvock dishonorably, Judy; for the thing was simply lifted clean out of our hands. Can't you see that?"

"I wonder," said Judy, and dropping her chin on her hands, she looked across the intervening space at his face, which was stamped with the seal of the strong emotions under which undoubtedly he was laboring, "I wonder just how much of all this is real, or will last? You have been in love a good many times—haven't you, Alan?"

"I have imagined it—but this is different," he said, with diffidence.

"I daresay that every time you have thought that! What I want to know is, whether for this love, which lasts so short a time in a man's life and means so little to him, is it worth while to rend so many hearts and lives?"

Judy was very scathing, but Alan stood it well.

"I suppose I've deserved it," he said quite humbly. "Still, some day you'll understand."

"And what about Lucy?" pursued Judy, quite mercilessly. "She has not forgotten, though you have, the trysts you used to make and keep on Barassie Hill."

Rankine started in painful surprise. "Oh, that was only fooling, Judy, and none knew better than Lucy! I'm perfectly sure she has forgotten all about it. There will be no trouble with the women-folk at The Lees. They won't bear any malice."

Judy decided to keep her further counsel concerning Lucy, chiefly because no good could now come of harping on what was, in Alan's eyes, both a futile and an uninteresting theme.

"You're wrong, Alan, as it happens. You have alienated a whole family. Why, even I was refused admittance at The Lees this afternoon—met by Ramsay at the door with the message 'Not at home,' though he immediately afterwards informed me that Aunt Isabel had seen me from the window and sent down to make sure his message was delivered."

Judy was surprised at the relish with which she gave her little thrust. She was rewarded by seeing her brother look properly agast.

"Judy! Aunt Isabel never did that to you!"

"She did," said Judy with a nod. "But afterwards I saw them in Ayr, and they were not so bad. I just walked up to them in the carriage, and asked what they meant by behaving so ridiculously, and stated that I had done nothing to deserve such snubbing."

"I am very sorry, my dear, that anything I have done should have been the cause of subjecting you to this!"

"Oh, I don't mind," said Judy bravely, though a tear trembled on her eyelash. "But we didn't need this just now, and to-day I am not sure but that I am sorry Peter sent that cable to Bombay. He never would have done it had he suspected what was going to happen."

"Perhaps I should not have come if I had suspected it," answered Alan gloomily. "Then you've gone back on me, Judy, and won't listen or help!" Judy sat silent a moment, looking intently into the blazing fire. She was thinking, not of her brother at the moment, but of the old man on his death-bed who, clinging to her hand, had begged her to stand by Stair to the last.

"A woman has been the salvation of Stair from the beginning, my dear," he had said, in his slow, diffident voice. "And there is nothing more certain than that you will have to go on as you've begun. Stand by Alan, for he will need you."

Judy's eyes softened, and she turned to her brother, looking more like

Minard's Liniment Fine for the Hair.

the angel of the house than she had done since they came into the Pool.

"I felt it so awfully—the way you have treated me, Alan. You ought to have told me every single thing, and not have left me to hear it in scraps, right nor fair, nor kind. I positively did not know where to look, at the Clock House this afternoon, when Mrs. Carlyn calmly informed me that her daughter's engagement was at an end."

"You went to the Clock House, and Mrs. Carlyn told you that! But why should you have gone there to-day?"

"Why should I do anything? I had a free afternoon. I was under promise to go there some time. I knew nothing to hinder, therefore I went. Try and be sensible, Alan! I have nothing to hide, and never will have, please God, for it is—the very devil in a family!"

The depth of Judy's feeling was surely evinced by her use of a term so strong! Usually her language was full of restraint, and she had no sympathy with the new license of speech, and with the abundant use of slang which distinguished so many of her contemporaries. She remained a little fastidious and old-fashioned, as her mother had been before her.

(To be continued.)

## One Dollar a Pound for Tea Predicted Before Long

The tremendous increase in the popularity of tea as a beverage has been such that the producing countries have been unable to satisfy the demand. The price of tea has been steadily increasing for a number of years. Since, however, you can make from 250 to 300 cups of tea to the pound, even at the price of \$1.00 the cost per cup is only one-third of a cent.

### REMADE BROOMS.

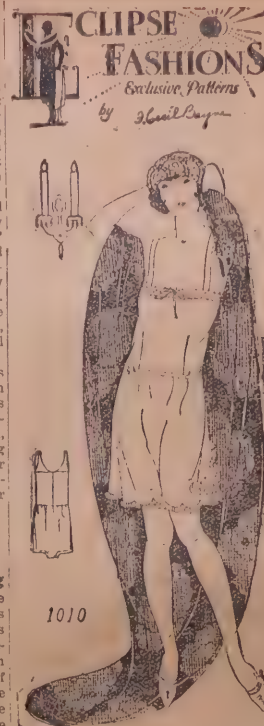
When a broom begins to show signs of wear do not throw it away. First of all soak it in hot suds, rinse and put it out in the air to dry. Then cut the bristles so that they are of even lengths again. You will find that the broom has taken on a new lease of life.

### A Poor Prophet.

Widow Waffles—"Yes, three times I've dreamed you and me were going 'and in 'and down the church path. I wonder wot it do mean?"

Widower William (a laggard in life)—"Aah now—I shouldn't wonder if it don't mean we be goin' to 'ave a drop o' rain."

The difference between impudence and repartee often depends upon the size of the man who utters it.



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## Julie's Birthday.

For two days Julie's mother had been working day and night for her daughter's party. There was Julie's new dress, to finish and the best dishes to get out, and chicken salad and rolls and ice cream and cake to make—to say nothing of the countless extra things that always thrust themselves into the most crowded days. Of course Julie helped, at least she meant to help, but there were so many interruptions. Her mother patiently picked up all Julie's loose ends and finished them along with her own tasks. She was too tired to dress for the party, but, since she had to be in the kitchen, it didn't make any difference.

Julie, a lovely flushed little figure, received her guests and exclaimed happily over the gifts they brought. It was the custom in the village to bring gifts to a birthday party. Quite naturally she put out her hand for the blue-ribboned box that Vera Stonelow had brought.

Vera, however, laughingly held it behind her. "It isn't for you, I knew you'd have a bushel of things, and I always think a girl's birthday belongs to her mother anyway. So I brought this for her. Where is she?"

"Why—in the kitchen," Julie stammered.

Vera ran back to the kitchen, Julie's mother, who was cutting cake and frowning a little because the icing wasn't quite firm, looked up, startled, at Vera's kiss.

"I've brought you a birthday gift," Vera said. "I thought,"—her voice trembled and then steadied—"I thought you'd let me. I always brought one to my mother on her birthday, and I missed it so this year. I'm not much of a maker, but I made this."

"Why, Vera!" Julie's mother exclaimed awkwardly.

"Put it on," Vera pleaded. "I want to see you in it."

Still awkwardly Julie's mother opened the box. Inside was a large apron with lovely touches of embroidery. She put it on. The blue in it matched the blue of her eyes, and the excitement made a tiny pink flush steal into her tired face.

"It's lovely!" Vera cried joyously.

Julie's mother no longer felt tired. Even Julie noticed it when she ran out for something. She had kept hearing over and over again the queer thing that Vera had said about a girl's birthday belonging to her mother.

Vera did have queer notions!

Up in her room in the blessed quiet Julie's mother was resting at last. But she could not sleep; she was too happy.

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## "I Stepped in Your Steps All the Way."

A father and his tiny son  
Crossed a rough street one stormy day.

"See, papa," cried the little one,  
"I stepped in your steps all the way."

Ab, random, childish hands that deal  
Quick thrusts no coat of proof could stay!

It touched him with the touch of steel—  
"I stepped in your steps all the way!"

—Roy Temple House.

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## FEELING TIRED IN STRINGTIME

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With the passing of winter many people feel weak, depressed and easily tired. No particular disease, but the system lacks tone. You find yourself tired, low-spirited, and often unable to get sound sleep at night. All this is the result of in-door confinement of the winter months, and shows that the blood has become thin and watery. New, rich, red blood is what you need to put you right, and there is no other medicine can give you this new blood as surely and as speedily as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This new blood gives to every part of the body and quickly improves the general health. Digestion is toned up, you have a better appetite, nerves are strengthened and sleep is sound and refreshing.

The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when the system is run down is shown by the experiences of Mr. William Mitchell, R.R. No. 1, Bedford, P.E.I., who says:—"A few months ago I found myself in a badly run down condition. My appetite was poor, I was easily tired and did not sleep well. I tried several so-called tonics, but did not get any relief. Then I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and soon found that I had got the right medicine. Gradually my strength came back, the dull, tired feeling disappeared, and after using the pills for about a month, I could eat heartily and was as strong and active as ever I have been. I can most cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as an unsurpassed tonic."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Ignorance.

In the motion-picture "Robin Hood," Lady Marian desires to send a message to the Earl of Huntington and chooses Little John to act as her messenger. She presents John with a scroll which is protected by what seems to be a black case or tube.

As he handed it over, a small boy in the audience asked his mother what it was.

"That's a flashlight," she answered in a loud voice.

"Don't show your ignorance, Mary," said her husband. "They didn't have flashlights in those days. That's a thermos bottle."

It's far better to be homesick away from home than to be home sick.

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## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario.

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

To thoroughly enjoy good health, we must observe the simple rules of right living. These include the taking of sufficient exercise to keep the body active, eating the right kinds of food in proper proportions, using plenty of fresh water within and without. But the latter remark I mean that water should be taken at frequent intervals, certainly a glass or two first thing in the morning and between meals in the afternoon, and at bedtime, to drink any fluids at mealtime, as the gastric juice is thereby diluted and results in delayed digestion.

For some reason or other, there seems to be a tendency on everybody's part nowadays, to eat too much starch and sugar in the daily diet. Too much starchy food causes fermentation of the stomach and intestines, which often results in constipation and auto-intoxication, the effects of intestinal stasis or inertia. One and all, we should cultivate the practice of eating more fresh fruits and making the leafy vegetables a larger part of our daily dietary. We should refrain from

excesses of all kinds in eating and drinking and chew our food thoroughly at meal times. This relieves the stomach of part of the work of digestion, for properly masticated foods are more easily assimilated by the stomach.

We must also make it a point to get enough sleep and to avoid all unnecessary worry. Too many people live what might be called a dissipated existence, that is they burn the midnight oil, staying up late at nights and through the stress of business rising fairly early in the morning after insufficient rest. This leads to nervousness and irritability which in time may result in indigestion, insomnia and other irritating conditions. One must not forget the dangers to health that result from mischievous gossip, saying or hearing unkind things about people with whom you are acquainted. Sooner or later these unkind, ungenerous thoughts will react on the person harboring them, and bring about an impaired state of health. There is the question, too, of having imaginary enemies, and of believing that certain persons hold a grudge against you and are plotting to do you an injury. These surmises may be merely figments of the imagination and if the truth were known, the people whom you suspected had no unkind thoughts of you at all. Another thing to remember is that frequent bathing of the body is absolutely essential if one is to keep in perfect trim.

In these winter days we have a tendency to spend too much time indoors in a superheated atmosphere. What could be more healthful and invigorating than a brisk walk in the open air. Walking is an exercise that everybody can indulge in, and there is no better recreation. Still, there is not half enough walking done, even in the country. The automobile is an asset of course, and brings convenience and comfort to every home where it is in use, but when a person develops the habit of riding everywhere, even short distances that could easily be covered on foot, then the automobile is little short of a menace to health. I have heard men who own cars admit that for their health's sake they would be far better off without an automobile.

A powerful aid to the preservation of health is relaxation—of both mind and body. If we have business cares or worries connected with the daily grind, we should as far as possible, put them away when evening comes and enjoy the fellowship of family or friends or recreation or books. The mind needs a rest as well as the body, and this applies to women as well as men. Of course, there are instances where it is difficult to get rid of worry and responsibility at special times, but as a rule, one can, by systematizing his or her work, find time for relaxation.

Above all, we need, once a year at least, a complete change from our normal surroundings, and this is especially beneficial if those who live strenuous lives, go to the woods or a quiet summer resort where they can live close to nature and get a chance as it were, to find themselves and take stock of their mental, moral and physical progress.

Moreover, we should always try to cultivate a cheerful spirit, and to me, adversity with calmness and fortitude, accepting with good grace what the gods have in store for us, always trying to play the part of real men, women who know how to play the game of life to the best advantage.

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### Last Will and Testament.

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And these are the things that I got from Love:  
One tall pine tree and a star above.

I being in my right mind now,  
Bequeath to my son my land and plow,  
And I'll leave him also the wind and the sea,  
And I'll even leave him my tall pine tree.

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### In Turkish Prison.

A British officer who was captured by the Turks in the Great War gives some amusing extracts from the prison commandant's daily bulletins to the prisoners. Here is one: "Everybody is obliged neither to cook food nor to have any sort of fire in the rooms where they live and lie, as a very slight carelessness as regards fire, cleanliness and neatness may be the cause of great dangers. It is rather good to consider the heaviness of the legal penalty that may impend for a damage caused by a lack of precaution and care. If a fire starts, it goes. Therefore, don't smoke in bedrooms for goodness' sake."

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### Mothers' Allowances.

Now that the Mothers' Allowances Act is so well established and accomplishing such good work, it is interesting to recall that for nearly twenty years Mr. Kelso advocated this as a necessary feature of efficient child-welfare work. In his fourth annual return to the Ontario Legislature, published in February, 1937, he reported as follows:

There are poor but respectable mothers who require temporary help, but this should be given to them in their own homes, either by the municipality or church organizations, so that the home may not be broken up. It is no real charity or help to a poor mother to close up her home and send her children to this institution and her husband to that, thus robbing both of the ties and influences that are, after all, the only things worth living for.

The principle here laid down is sound, and it is gratifying to know it has worked out so well.—Globe, March 19.

### For Sore Throat Use Minard's Liniment

Among the children left at the day nursery at the Wembley Exhibition there are three who have never been claimed.

The coal deposits of Canada are believed to comprise about one-seventh of the known supplies of the whole world.

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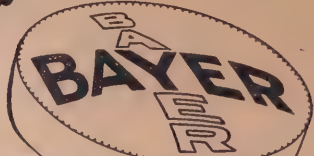
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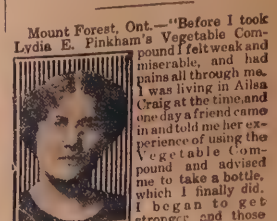
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## Local and Personal

We hope our readers will consider this column their very own. We always appreciate receiving items of local interest by telephone (59 post card or by a friendly call at the office.

Milk delivered at 12½ quarts for \$1.00 or 25 pints for \$1.00. D. Utman. 29a  
FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed. J. D. McGee. Phone 135-14. 29b

Miss Alice Flemming is assisting in Mr. Thos. Cranston's store

Mrs. Nora Wescott spent the week end with Mrs. James Wescott, at Burnbrae.

Clerk wanted, apply at store, S. A. Murphy. The Paint and Wall Paper Store. 29a

Mr. George Whitty has put a new roof on the rear portion of his house on Front St.

Mrs. Gardiner Alcombrack is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hockey and other friends in the district.

Several cheese factories in the district will commence their season's work early in April.

The Public library is a community enterprise. Every citizen is urged to read the books and current literature that are available there. 29a

Miss Ida Marshall of Macdonald College, Guelph is enjoying a holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Marshall.

This time of the year your stock needs more Zip Stock Conditioner. Try a 25 lb. bag at \$3.00 reduced price. Sold by Fred McKee agent. t-f

Mrs. James Wiggins has returned to her home in the West, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reid and other friends.

Messrs. J. S. Morton, Albert Bird, Newton Bird and Andrew Kirk were in Tweed yesterday attending the funeral of the late Thos. Johnston, formerly county registrar.

Bring up your order for hand made boots of French Kip. High class material and workmanship. W. H. Anthony at Fred McKee's, Stirling. 27c

See Rudolph Valentino, Bebe Daniels and a whole constellation of other stars at Empire Theatre, Wednesday, April 1st at 8.15. Auspices Memorial Committee. 29a

Mr. Walter Wright has re-decorated his show window. The glistening white background makes an appropriate setting for displays of food products.

The Standard Church on the Campbellford Road will be opened on Sunday. The first service will be 10.30 on Sunday morning. On 17th, 18th and 19th of April there will be a district convention, which will be held at the church. President G. L. Monahan will be in charge assisted by preachers of the district. On Sunday, April 19th the Church will be dedicated.

Monsieur Beaucare spectacular film play based on the Booth Tarkington's famous novel. Splendid display of old time costumes. Empire Theatre, April 1st at 8.15. Auspices of Memorial committee. 29a

Mr. Alex Hume and his daughter Elsie from Burnbrae visited Mrs. Bissonette and Miss Hume yesterday. Miss Elsie will remain until Monday. (Continued on Page 1)

## Obituary

**JOHN BURKE**

Following a brief illness, death summoned Mr. John Burke, one of the oldest residents of Belleville, on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Burke was born in Quebec in 1839 and spent the greater portion of his life in lumbering in Quebec and farming in Hastings County. He lived with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fitzpatrick of Stirling for some years and about three years ago went to live with another daughter, Mrs. Peter Johnson of Belleville. Mr. Burke owned valuable property on Edward St. He leaves his widow and a family of five sons, Thomas and Patrick of Niagara Falls, William in Ottawa, James in Hibbing, Minnesota and John at Sault Ste. Marie. Also four daughters, Mrs. J. J. Fitzpatrick, Stirling, Mrs. P. Johnson of Belleville, Mrs. Mulloy of

## The Desire of all Nations is at Hand

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**Mr. W. Sargeant**

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on

**Sunday, March 29th**

**at 7.30 p.m.**

Based on Scripture and present day events. What do all nations and people desire?

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  2. Desirable government; Rulers now are hopelessly perplexed.
  3. Perfect health; Disease and Pestilence now are common.
  4. Plenty for all human needs; Now a few have plenty, while many are in great need.
  5. Contentment; War, strife, greed and oppression now cause misery and discontent.
  6. Security.
  7. Life, not death.
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Niagara Falls, N. Y., and Mrs. Jandrew of Stockdale. Mr. Burke's death was the first break in the family circle. There are several grand children. Desmond Burke of Ottawa, last year's winner of the King's prize at Bisley is a grandson.

The remains were brought to Stirling yesterday morning for interment in Stirling cemetery.

## THOMAS JOHNSTON

Thomas Johnston, registrar of deeds for Hastings County died at his home in Belleville on Monday morning. He had not been well since the autumn, and some time before his death had been forced to retire from active work.

He was born in Hungerford township 58 years ago and was well known throughout the County. For many years he was County Auditor and was clerk of Tweed Village at the time of his appointment as county registrar less than a year ago.

He was a Conservative in politics, a prominent Mason and a member of the Methodist Church. The funeral was held at Tweed yesterday afternoon, under Masonic auspices. Messrs. Newton and Albert Bird of Stirling are cousins of the late Mr. Johnston.

## MRS. CATHARINE ROSS

On Sunday, March 22, death claimed one of the oldest residents in the district, in the person of Catharine Ross widow of the late George Ross of Huntingdon. Mrs. Ross had been in failing health for the past three months. Mr. Ross pre-deceased her about fourteen years ago. Her maiden name was Catharine Leckie and she was a life-long resident of Hastings County, having resided at the place of her death for over fifty years. She was 88 years of age.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon from her late residence to Holloway Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. I. Snell of Foxboro. Interment was made in Giffin's cemetery.

## Notice to Creditors

Persons having claims against Robert Naylor Morton, late of the Township of Rawdon, in the County of Hastings, Blacksmith, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to Clayton Tucker, Harold R. R. No. 1, the Executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, on or before the last day of May, 1925, after which date the assets will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all debts due and owing the said estate must be paid and satisfied, on or before the 15th day of April, A. D. 1925, to the said Executor.

Dated at Stirling this 25th day of March, A. D. 1925.

CLAYTON TUCKER,  
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the said Robert Naylor Morton, deceased.

By PORTER, PAYNE & WILLS,  
210 Front Street, Belleville, Ontario,  
His Solicitors.

## Notice to Creditors

All persons having claims against the estate of PETER E. RUPERT, late of the Township of Rawdon, in the County of Hastings, merchant, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned, solicitor for Nettie Elizabeth Rupert and James McC.

For further particulars apply at the law offices of B. C. Donnan, Court House, Belleville, and R. D. Macaulay, Campbell Street, Belleville. Dated the 23rd day of February, 1925.

S. S. Lazier, Master, 291

## Sunday Services

### Methodist Church

PASTOR—REV. C. W. BARRETT  
SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1925  
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—"The Two Directions"  
7 p.m.—"Daring Daniel"  
Monday 8 p.m.—League.  
Tuesday 7.30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

CARMEL, SUNDAY, MARCH, 29TH  
Service—2.30 p.m.—"The Two Directions."  
Thursday 8 p.m.—Epworth League

### Presbyterian Church

MINISTER—REV. ROBT. SIMPSON  
SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH  
10 a.m.—Sabbath School  
Rev. J. M. Fraser of Melrose will conduct the services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
Guild on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Rawdon Circuit Notes

REV. FRED G. JOBLIN, Pastor.  
SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1925.

Wellmans—2.30 p.m.  
Mt. Pleasant—7.00 p.m.—Subject:—"Life of Christ", illustrated with lantern slides.

Wellmans, Monday evening—Subject:—"Life of Christ", illustrated with lantern slides.

## Judicial Sale

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order for Sale made by the Supreme Court of Ontario in an action of Hawkins vs. Heath and bearing date respectively the 23rd day of June, 1924, and the 9th day of February, 1925, there will be sold by public auction, with the approbation of the Local Master at Belleville, at his Chambers in the Court House at the City of Belleville on Monday the 30th day of March next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable farm property:

PARCEL NO. 1—The West half of Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon in the County of Hastings, containing 100 acres more or less.

PARCEL NO. 2—The East half of said Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon aforesaid, containing 100 acres more or less.

Upon Parcel No. 1 are erected a large brick dwelling house fitted for two tenants, a large frame barn, 40 by 70, and a large frame shed for agricultural implements together with the usual other farm buildings—pigeon, henhouse, etc.

Upon Parcel No. 2 are erected a frame dwelling house, size 24 by 36, two storeys, and a frame barn about 30 by 50.

The buildings on both parcels are in fair state of repairs as well as the fences and both parcels are well watered.

The property will be sold subject to reserve bids fixed by the Master, and in two parcels or en bloc at the option of the Master.

Terms of Sale: 10 per cent. down and balance within one month thereafter without interest.

In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the said Court.

For further particulars apply at the law offices of B. C. Donnan, Court House, Belleville, and R. D. Macaulay, Campbell Street, Belleville. Dated the 23rd day of February, 1925.

S. S. Lazier, Master, 291

## Classified Advertisements

### FOR SALE OR RENT

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FOR SALE—Bay mare 10 years old, weight about 1100 lbs. Price \$40 cash. Arthur Jones, at the Mill, West Huntingdon. 29b

FOR SALE—Maple syrup. \$2.00 per gallon. Michael Shea, Phone 49-5 29b

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FOUND—On the Campbellford road. Bunch of keys and chain. Owner may have them at this office on payment for this ad. 29a

## SALE REGISTER

AUCTION SALE—Farm stock and implements. Lot 6, Concession 1, Rawdon. Tuesday, April 7th, at 12 o'clock. Win. Good, owner. Henry Wallace, auctioneer. 29b

## WANTED

WANTED—Two horses weighing about twelve hundred, to be sound and between four and ten years old. H. Hadley. 29a

## COAL

We are taking orders for first quality D. L. & W. Scranton screened coal for about May 1st delivery. Egg coal \$14.50, Stove and Nut coal \$15.00 delivered. HERB HADLEY. 29b

## Enterprise Cheese Factory

There will be a Stockholders meeting at the factory on Monday, March 30th, at 1.30 p.m.  
W. T. SINE, Pres.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of Leonard Smith, late of the Township of Sidney in the County of Hastings, Carpenter, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned Solicitor for Allen Smith and John Wesley Sager, executors of the said estate on or before the 30th day of April, A. D. 1925, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto. Dated the 20th day of March, A. D. 1925.

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Ivanhoe.....1.27 a.m.

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Ivanhoe.....3.18 a.m.

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Bonarlaw.....4.41 a.m.

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## For the Boys and Girls

### GRANNY'S BIRTHDAY PARTY.

"Rain, rain, go away—little Sammy wants to play!" Sammy Slow had chanted it two dozen times—yet it rained! And in despair he flattened his little nose 'gainst the window pane and watched the great drops splash—SPLASH! on the garden path, pretending they were farmers—dashing to market to sell butter and eggs.

Suddenly he spied Quilly Quick leaping from branch to branch of the big pine close to the nursery window, and he gave a joyful shout and flung up the sash. Quilly sprang into the room, and made Quilly tracks all over the floor.

"Why-ee," exclaimed Sammy reproachfully, "I do believe you're wearing your mother's red shawl. She'll feel so sorry to have it spoiled."

So, careful little Sammy placed two small chairs near the open fireplace and fastened an end of string to each, and hung the shawl to dry.

"That's better," he sighed, "now we'll play." But hardly had they commenced when: "Oh! look—Sammy—LOOK!" whispered Quilly excitedly; and Sammy looked, and saw a fat gray mouse scurrying across the hearthstone. He wore a white paper cap and carried a cake almost covered with birthday candles. In a twinkling he disappeared through a hole in the chimney corner, and in another twinkling he was out and away.

Sammy and Quilly rushed to the fireplace and peeped into the hole. "It's the Pinknose family!" exclaimed Sammy softly, and he dug out bits of plaster that they might see better. Granny Pinknose sat on one side of the fireplace working rapidly at a tiny spinning-wheel. "It keeps one pretty busy to clothe as big a family as ours," she observed cheerfully.

And Grandpa Pinknose agreed. He was pegging shoes on the other side of the fireplace.

Little Mrs. Pinknose was preparing a feast and she fairly flew from cupboard to table and back again; it was the best parlor table, used only on very special occasions.

Tenny and Weeny, in clean ging-ham aprons, sat on stools at Granny's feet; she was giving them lessons in spinning, and sometimes in manners and obedience. "When your Ma calls you," she admonished, "don't stand still and cry out, 'What do you want?' Say, 'Yes, Ma,' and run to her at once, as all good little mice should do."

Well, Pa was tending the fire and filling the kettle and sniffing at the goodies; and sometimes he rocked the cradle, where baby Pinknose slept throughout the excitement.

At that identical moment Sammy dropped a bit of plaster, and Pa

scampered to the hole to see what was wrong. One look and he slapped his knee and shouted: "Why hello, Sammy and Quilly, glad to see you; great doings, eh? You see, it went on, 'it's Granny's birthday, but we can't coax her to rest—"

"Rest?" interrupted Granny, "with cloth to weave for Tenny's and Weeny's best dresses, and overalls to make for Timmy and Tammy, and baby's new quilt ready for the quilting frame—no, indeed! No rest for me. And anyway I like to spin better than I like to rest." And she beamed happily on her family. She told Sammy and Quilly that she was sorry they couldn't squeeze through the front door and have dinner with them. "See the fine cake," she added, "fresh to-day from the finest bakeshop in Mouseland." Small wonder that Granny was proud of it, for the candles were lavender and matched her best dress exactly. Ma Pinknose had seen to that.

When Grandpa, attired in his gayly-flowered waistcoat, led Granny to the table dressed in her lavender-sprigged gown—and the lavender candles blazed merrily on the cake; well! Sammy thought it was the prettiest he had ever seen. He clapped his hands and told Granny that he hoped her birthdays would always be happy ones, "and oh!" he continued, "I do wish we could come, too."

"Never you mind," called Grandpa, "stay right where you are and I'll pass some of the goodies right through the doorway."

"Thank you," cried Sammy, "but first I'm going this very minute to get a birthday present for Granny." And away to the kitchen he rushed to beg from mamma a gingerbread man and a doughnut.

The members of the Pinknose family were overcome—doughnuts and gingerbread men, whole ones, too, didn't often come their way. "They'll last for weeks," exclaimed Granny fervently. "My, oh, my! I haven't seen a gingerbread man since my young days."

Well, Sammy and Quilly watched the Pinknose children at play and listened to Granny's tales of old times until the supper bell rang; and Quilly said he'd have to make tracks for home.

So he donned his shawl—perfectly dry—and Sammy hugged his little friend and then watched him leap from the window sill to pine branch, then scamper down the trunk and across the yard and out of sight.

Sammy sighed happily as he thought of his adventure with the Pinknose family, and of the good times he would surely have with Quilly on the morrow.

### Horses in His Night Bag.

Fifty years ago when the nobility and landed gentry of England were in the prime of their wealth and power amusing tales were told of the attempted economies of some among them who had drawn too heavily upon their incomes in keeping up the lavish expenditure demanded by the life of their period and caste.

One worthy equine and his wife, relates a recent writer, found that they could not make both ends meet and seriously examined their budget with a view to retrenchment. What could be sacrificed? Shooting? No. Hunting? A thousand times not! Finally they decided that the family fortunes could only be retrieved if coffee after luncheon were abandoned.

A certain duke who had apparently a bottomless purse could not balance his accounts, or rather his steward could not. What was the use of being a duke if you were to be bothered about money? Still it was thought advisable to send to London for the family man of business to overhaul the house hold accounts. After a week's work he submitted his report to the duke: "Beggars Your Grace's pardon, I see Your Grace keeps both an Italian and a French cook in Your Grace's etitlroom. Is not such a duplication a trifle superfluous?"

"Hang it all!" exclaimed the duke. "A fellow must have a biscuit!"

Such airy ducal magnificence brings

to mind a phrase of Charles II.; not because the Merry Monarch was striving for economy—that was a necessity he all too merrily avoided—but by reason of his careless assumption of what properly befitted royalty. Charles, during a boring council, suggested that when it was over they ride out together for an informal surprise visit to the king's sister and pass the night there, taking only their night bags.

"Heavens, sire, you will not even take a squadron of horse?" wrote Clarendon on the margin and returned the note.

Charles read, added another line and passed it back. He had written: "I count that part of my night bag."

### Presto Change.

Not so many years ago if a fond mother followed her daughter to the front door and said "Now don't you go a step out of this house without your rubbers," there was an argument. It resulted in the daughter going several steps out of the house without her rubbers. She informed her mother that nobody, absolutely nobody, was anything socially would be caught dead, wearing overshoes. Now she wears them regularly because they are called galoshes.

No old man should ever play the clown; and no woman, either old or young.



The Prince of Wales, still smiling, is shown at one of the many hunts in which he has taken part recently before leaving on his visit to South Africa and the Argentine.

### From Disciple to Master.

My life is like a dream,  
I do not know  
How it began, nor yet  
How it will go.

Out of the night a bird  
Has quickly flown  
Across the lighted room.  
And now is gone.

Into the dark again  
From whence it came—  
So the old Druids said,  
And I the same.

But we are not content;  
I, like them, too,  
Questioning all I meet,  
Seek something new.

Saying to each who comes,  
"So much is clear,  
But, if you know of more,  
I wait to hear."

"The dark, the lighted room,  
The bird which flies  
Are not enough for man  
Who one day dies."

"Are not enough for man,  
That bird which came  
Out of the dark and must  
Return again."

"If you know more besides,  
Tell what you know,  
O wise and traveled souls,  
Before I go."

—Monk Gibbon.

### Just An Old-Fashioned Girl.

Debonair Johnny Flynn had just been presented to demure Mary Anne. After a few minutes' conversation they found themselves to be of a most congenial nature, so Johnny suggested that they stroll out and view the moon from the veranda.

The soft radiance of the night thrilled them; in fact, thrilled them deeply, so they sank with one accord to a modestly chummy position on the steps.

Sweet and low, Johnny told of his business and his ideals. Demure Mary Anne, drinking all in, leaned closer toward him. But just as her eyes came to a sweet level with Johnny's, something snapped.

"What was that?" Johnny inquired. Mary Anne blushed.

"What was that?" demanded Johnny. "W-w-well, if you m-m-must know," Mary Anne stammered, "m-m-my g-g-garter broke!"

"Honey," pleaded Johnny fervently, sinking to his knees, "will you marry me? I've been looking for an old-fashioned girl like you."

India at present is raising cotton on nearly 22,000,000 acres of land as compared with less than 18,000,000 acres a year ago.

### The Silly Frog.

A silly young frog, unaccustomed to room, went hopping one day quite a distance from home, but beholding an ox on a neighboring farm he turned in his tracks and hopped back in alarm.

"Oh, father!" he cried, "very frightened am I: I saw a great creature as tall as the sky and broad as the hill he was trying to eat; he had horns on his forehead and hoofs on his feet!"

"Pooh, pooh!" said the big frog who sat on the rocks, "that creature was nothing but Farmer White's ox; he is tall, I concede, but take notice of me; I think I could make myself broader than he."

Then he blew himself out till he looked very fat; "There, son," he exclaimed, "was he broader than that?"

"Oh, broader!" the little frog answered, and then the foolish frog began blowing again. He blew and he blew, but his son, taking heed, cried, "Bigger than that, father, bigger indeed!" Then he blew and he puffed and he puffed and he blew till he burst in small pieces—a million or two. The frogs got together and croaked a fine dirge; then the master frog cautioned: "One thing I would urge: Size up your opponent before you compete; self-destruction may come of too much self-conceit."

### Bees Born in Brick Wall.

Sometimes as you are looking at an old wall you will notice that the mortar between the bricks contains a number of deep pits. If you probe into various holes you will be startled eventually by the exit from one of them of a small, but very angry bee. You have, in fact, disturbed the mason bee in his home. The hole in which he was lurking was made by his powerful jaws.

The female lays eggs in little receptacles at the bottom of the hole and places a store of food beside each egg. The hole is then sealed up with a mixture of clay and mortar, softened with the bees' saliva. The eggs are left to themselves, and when hatched the young bees eventually eat their way out into the open.

The cousin of the mason bee is called the carpenter bee. He burrows into woodwork, choosing generally the underside of the beam to protect the hole from rain.

At the bottom of the hole an egg is laid. Then comes a partition of mud and wood chips; then another egg, and so on till the hole is filled. The carpenter then seals it securely and leaves the eggs to look after themselves, and when hatched the bees eat through each partition until they get out.

Look for the best in mankind, not the worst. One usually gets what one looks for.

## The Mystery of Sally

By Charles Sloan Reid.

Sally was a hired girl, the seventeenth since the baby came, about thirteen months before. But we realized that at last we had found a treasure. Sally was inventive. The kaleidoscopic repertoire of amusement which she furnished for our toady-wootsy was something to command the admiration of the most callous-brained pessimist of the never-saïes.

This aggregation of inventive genius had been purchased at a weekly installment of four dollars. Cheerfully, we should have made it five on demand, within a week after her arrival. But Sally seemed to be devoid of the graft contamination and, indeed, she spent her money like a lord, more than half of her weekly pay going for grim-cracks of one kind or another for the amusement of our little one. A car ride to the park each day for the pleasure of our baby formed one of her personal extravaganzas. Baby soon became so much attached to her that "Mama" was no longer interesting, except at certain periods during the day, and these periods Sally managed so cleverly that no disturbances came to the household serenely through baby's invariable demands.

One thing soon became apparent. Sally had the going habit. She wanted to be away from the house more than half of the time, but, as our little one always came back from these little excursions in excellent spirits, and, barring the harassing fears that baby might contract some of the many contagious or infectious diseases of childhood—such as measles, chicken-pox, whooping-cough or some other horrifying thing—this habit of Sally's was not at all inconvenient to the household.

Another thing which recommended Sally was the habitual neatness of her person, and what became an interesting mystery to us was the matter of how she could spend from two to three dollars per week solely and unselfishly for the amusement of our little one, and dress herself with such taste on the remainder.

Finally, we decided that Sally must be getting credit somewhere, and that we should raise her wages, in order that she might be enabled to meet her obligations.

But about this time I saw Sally emerging from a bank one day. I had been some distance away and unobserved by her.

"Ah," I exclaimed under my breath, "she is borrowing of the bank."

The cashier of this bank was a particular friend of mine, and I determined to learn something of Sally's financial operations. This I had no trouble in doing, and soon learned to my amazement that Sally was not a borrower, but a depositor, to the extent of forty or fifty dollars a week.

My wife and I held a consultation over the matter, for the mystery had deepened. Why one who could indulge the daily extravaganzas of Sally, and yet deposit forty dollars per week, should hire herself out at a wage of four dollars per week was amazingly mysterious—and yet, Sally was not a thief. Not the smallest item of anything of value had been missed from the house, and no coins or bills ever were kept about the place.

So the mystery of Sally deepened. But, notwithstanding this, Sally was by incalculable odds the best nurse we ever had possessed, or ever could hope to have, and we determined that nothing should dispossess us of her services—no, not if it became necessary to raise her wages to ten dollars per week, which extravagance I could ill afford.

So Sally remained, keeping up her usual programme, only inventing new means of amusement each day. How long we should have kept her I do not know. But accident plays a large part in the human affairs, and it was an accident which led to the separation of our Sally from us.

An employee from our mills had been seriously crushed in a dray collision over on the East Side, and I had gone over to the accident. This matter being soon concluded, I was returning to the office, when I met Jenkins, a friend of mine. Jenkins likes a taker, or a side-show performance better

than anything; and the East Side was noted for its attraction for fakers and showmen of one kind or another. "Hello, old man!" called Jenkins from across the street, "wait a moment."

I waited, and Jenkins came over. "Do you know," he began, "I have found one of the smoothest artists in the show line down here that I've seen in a long while."

"What's his class?" I asked. "Wild animal tamer, and he has been playing to crowded houses here for the past six weeks. You want to see this, especially the afternoon performance, at which time he gives an extraordinary feature."

He was leading, and we soon came to the entrance way of a large tent which occupied a portion of the area usually taken up by the showmen. Outside were a number of big posters announcing, both by word and illustration, the men inside, among them being one which was especially horrifying—this being announced in big letters as the special afternoon feature. Jenkins had secured tickets and was hurrying me inside.

Our seats proved to be in a good position, and we had not long to wait for the beginning of the show. The performer soon appeared in the caged arena, and the various features of the programme soon were passing before us. Tigers, leopards and lions, one after another, had been introduced, and at last King Leo, a tremendous lion, stood beside his master in the arena.

"Now we get the star performance," whispered Jenkins.

The showman advanced to the front of the cage, where he opened a small ticket window.

"Now," he began, "if some mother in the audience will bring me her baby for a few moments, I will show you that Leo will hold the little one in his great mouth as tenderly as its mother can hold it in her arms. Trust me, some mother—your little one shall receive no harm whatever."

"We have only to wait a moment," declared Jenkins. "There is a young woman in the audience who furnishes the baby each afternoon; and Torrell, the showman, pays her ten dollars on the side after each performance."

"Horror!" I exclaimed. And just at this moment the young woman arose from somewhere near the front and advanced with the baby in her arms. I got one glimpse of them—and the next instant I was on my feet, though almost transfixed in my indignation. The woman was our Sally—and the baby was our boy.

I summoned strength enough to draw my revolver, and the man who was not afraid of the whole African jungle crouched before my aim. In the meantime I somehow reached the side of Sally and seized the boy in my arms, allowing Sally to make a precipitate exit.

No doubt she is now working her scheme in some other city where Torrell is showing. And we—well, we are not requiring the services of a nurse any more. Also, we are seriously thinking of calling our boy Daniel, the little one having been delivered from the lion's mouth, you know.

### Luck.

Luck doesn't float around the air and light on Tom or Dick or Harry just anyhow and anywhere. The wit to know the thing you want, the will to work the faith to fight, the strength to use but tempered tools and only weapons honor-bright; the spirit and the spunk to dare, and when disaster falls, the pluck to grin and start again—that's luck!

### Good Reason.

"Why do you dislike me so, Johnny?" asked the girl's suitor of her kid brother.

"Well, when you call on sis you put the clock back an hour. That makes me late for school and I get licked for it."

Sandpaper the woodwork before repainting it. You will thus secure a smooth surface, which is essential to successful painting.

### REG'LAR FELLERS



### SOMETHING LIKE THAT SHOT AT CONCORD—By Gene Byrnes.



# TORNADO SWEEPED FIVE STATES, BRINGING DEATH AND INJURY TO THOUSANDS

Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee in Path of Devastating Cyclone Which Killed About 800 Persons and Injured Nearly Three Thousand.

A despatch from Chicago says:—Estimates made late on Thursday give the maximum number of 942 killed and at least 5,000 injured in the tornadoes which swept through Southern Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky and Ohio late on Wednesday.

Each new despatch adds to the growing toll. The storm was the worst experienced by the country in nearly half a century, 28 cities and towns reporting death lists ranging from 1 to as high as 400.

Southern Illinois suffered the heaviest destruction. In Murphysboro alone more than 150 bodies have been counted, and the death toll is estimated as high as 400. West Frankfort reports a loss of life from 300 to 350, and the dead in De Soto number more than 100. Parrish and Gorman were virtually leveled by the tornado, with 80 known dead in the former and 100 in the latter.

A message relayed through Cairo, Ill., from Chief Despatcher Wallace of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad at Murphysboro to Vice-President Irving estimated the dead at that place from 500 to 1,200, and placed the loss to the railroad there at \$1,500,000.

Indiana's dead will number 200 or more, according to reports from Evansville. Princeton reports between 20 and 100 killed. At Griffin, Ind., 75 were reported dead; more than 40 bodies already have been counted in the streets.

Several towns in the path of the twister, which apparently came out of the Ozark Hills, due to low barometric pressure in Arkansas, and first struck at Annapolis, Mo., virtually were destroyed, while fire in many places added to the horror and havoc.

Darkness still hampered rescuers on Thursday night in a few towns, as lighting systems have not been repaired. Automobile lights, candles and flashlights are substituting for power plants. Pullman cars have arrived to house refugees in one or two sectors; villages of tents are being used elsewhere.

Those in charge speak in millions when asked to estimate material losses. The brief despatches read: "100,000 in Southwestern Kentucky"; "200,000 at Princeton"; "30,000,000 in Southern Illinois"; "100,000 in Missouri."

The tornado took its toll over a territory of 300 miles in five hours, and within the same period of time outside aid was covering that distance to carry help and comfort to survivors. The Red Cross rushed supplies from St. Louis. Chicago offered \$500,000. The Illinois Legislature appropriated a like amount; the Missouri Legislature \$250,000, and the Southern Illinois American Legion \$6,000. Other contributions are expected to reach \$100,000.

From the casualty list it appears that more than 100 children and infants were victims. Every available dwelling was a morgue in the zone of visitation. Serious operations are performed virtually outdoors. Columns of persons three and four deep, several blocks long, still waited in the darkness on Thursday night to claim their kin and friends.

Apparently arising in the Missouri, the tornado jumped and zigzagged. Its path was about a mile wide in some localities; in others it could be measured by feet. It was more merciful at its start, preferring to unload its fury in Illinois and Indiana. It swept into Kentucky and Tennessee more fancifully, it appeared.

A despatch from Chicago says:—Reports received on Thursday from towns in Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee that suffered from Wednesday's tornado show the following dead and injured:—

	Dead	Injured
Illinois	682	1,960
Indiana	93	575
Missouri	26	289
Kentucky	17	25
Tennessee	27	53
Total	845	2,912

## LORD CURZON PASSES AWAY IN LONDON

Late Marquis Occupied Many Prominent Offices in British Government.

A despatch from London says:—Marquis Curzon of Kedleston, Lord President of the Council, died here early Friday morning.

Death came at 5.35 o'clock. His



physicians had been with him throughout the night.

The Marquis Curzon (George Nathaniel Curzon) from the cradle to the tomb exemplified to perfection in every detail the type of superior personality known as the ruling aristocrat.

He was bred for public life, and followed the career of politics and government with such success that he held almost every great office under the Crown except the highest of all—the post of Prime Minister.

Lord Curzon was in the war Cabinet in the Lloyd George Coalition Government, and was made leader of the House of Lords in 1916. He continued in that position throughout the war and the reconstruction period. He became Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in 1919, and continued in that office in the Bonar Law Government after the Lloyd George rule had been smashed by the Tories.

Meanwhile he had risen two more steps in the peerage, to an Earldom and then to a Marquisate.

It was at that time that his accumulation of honors operated against Lord Curzon in his ambition to become Prime Minister. When Bonar Law retired in 1923 there was beside Lord Curzon only one other man regarded as likely for the post, Stanley Baldwin. Weighing in opposition to Curzon was the new tradition against appointing as Premier a peer who could not meet attacks on the Government in the House of Commons, hence Mr. Baldwin, a commoner, received the place.

Lord Curzon remained in the Foreign Office in the Baldwin Government. He went to Lausanne to lead the Allies in making their peace treaty with the Turks.

Friendship is a jewel so precious that it shines even in the humblest setting.

## SOUTHERN ONTARIO SUFFERS FROM WORST FLOOD AND HURRICANE IN YEARS

A despatch from Toronto says:—Swelled by the heavy rain which fell during Wednesday night and Thursday morning, the rivers and creeks throughout Southern Ontario Thursday rose in one of the worst floods in years. Roads were inundated, and in some places streets were blocked for hours by the presence of several feet of water, which flooded the cellars and ground floors of stores or dwellings, extinguished fires and ruined large stocks of merchandise.

Brampton, where the flood is said to be the worst since 1876, was under water. Damage which ran into thousands of dollars was done in the Peel County town when the Etobicoke overflowed its banks and covered the main street with from two to three feet of water. The flood started at 8.30 in the morning, and reaching its maximum at noon, had subsided by evening. Trucks could be driven through it with difficulty, but to all other traffic it was closed for the day. All business was suspended and, with the hotels and restaurants out of commission, many folk went without dinner. A. Robson of the Royal Hotel lost several pigs, while the horses had to be removed from the hotel stables.

At times the street presented a weird spectacle, with telephone poles, large planks, boxes and huge chunks of ice sweeping down. One heavy piece of timber crashed through the window of Joseph Blumenthal's furnishings and shoe store, and continued on down to the main corner, where it formed a breakwater, which saved several stores on the south side of Queen St. from being flooded. James Martin, a piano dealer, is another heavy loser, his pianos floating in the water during the day. McCulloch's piano factory, Dawson & Co., the Jennings' greenhouses, Barnett's grocery, Wong's restaurant and the Capitol Theatre are other firms which suffered heavy losses by the encroachment of the water.

At Woodbridge the Humber River covered the lower end of the village with about two feet of water during the day, some of which was still on the ground at night. Large pieces of ice, trees and lumber of all sorts were carried through this section of the village by the flood, which reached up about 176 yards from the normal river banks. Besides the tannery about 20 houses were in the flooded area, and these suffered flooded cellars and warped floors.



MISSOURI, ILLINOIS AND INDIANA SUFFER MOST

The terrific tornado which left a trail of devastation across parts of Missouri, Illinois and Indiana apparently first assumed dangerous proportions in Eastern Missouri shortly after one o'clock in the afternoon of March 18. It came to earth at Annapolis, Missouri, wiped out most of the town, and then tore its way across the Mississippi river into Illinois, apparently lifting its devastating force and spreading out like a river delta until the various twisters descended some 25 miles beyond the Mississippi. It was around 3 o'clock when the tornado again touched earth with its mighty swish, swinging through Murphysboro and De Soto and laying those places waste in the twinkling of an eye. After sweeping Benton and Logan, the full force of the tornado was displayed again at Parrish, where, out of a population of 500, only three are reported to have escaped death or injury, and only one building was left undamaged. The fury of the storm continued through Thompsonville, McLeansboro. The wind rushed on, close to earth, for 15 or 20 miles, and then apparently lifted until it came to Carmi, Illinois, near the Indiana line. After taking its toll in that region, the storm again rose, only to descend once more, 20 miles west of the state line at Princeton, Indiana. From the region of Princeton the tornado apparently died out as it went on toward Indianapolis. Inset in the above layout is a key-map showing the tornado's path in relation to Chicago, Detroit and the Great Lakes area.

## Swedish Royalty to Join in Festivities at Ancient Visby

A despatch from Visby, Sweden, says:—Visby, described to-day as a city of ruins and roses, will next July observe the 700th anniversary of its founding. Members of the Swedish royal family and church dignitaries will attend.

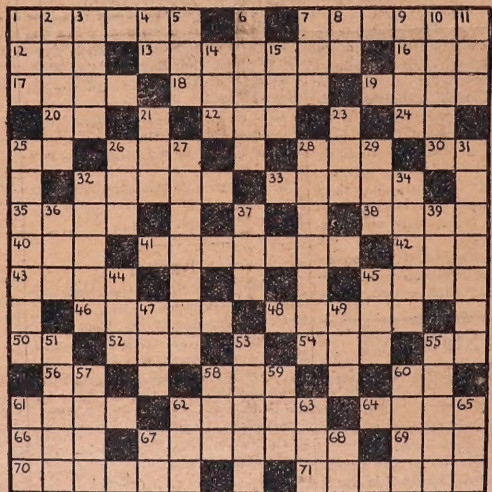
Located on the island of Gotland, in the centre of the Baltic Sea, Visby in the 13th century attained an important commercial position, and was a city of great wealth. The city wall was 10,000 feet long, with 37 towers. Recent excavations have brought to light many interesting records of life in the olden days. Scientists aver that the island of Gotland was inhabited 2,500 years before Christ.

## Solution of last week's puzzle.

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Throw Him Out!  
Nurse (announcing the arrival of son and heir)—"It's a boy, sir."  
Busy Professor—"Ask him what he wants. I'm busy."

## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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| <p><b>HORIZONTAL</b></p> <p>1—A great island N. of Canada</p> <p>7—A synagogue ruler whose daughter was raised from the dead</p> <p>12—Girl's name</p> <p>13—A city in Venezuela</p> <p>15—Suffix, meaning "of the nature of"; like</p> <p>17—A cape on the coast of Newfoundland</p> <p>18—A tambourine</p> <p>19—An entrance or passage (mining)</p> <p>20—One of the churches (abbr.)</p> <p>22—Achieved</p> <p>24—Prefix meaning "from, out of"</p> <p>25—Personal pronoun</p> <p>26—A kitchen utensil</p> <p>28—Preposition</p> <p>30—Close to, by</p> <p>32—A woodland deity</p> <p>33—Merciless</p> <p>35—A wading bird</p> <p>38—An entrance way</p> <p>40—Man's name (familiar)</p> <p>41—Kind of ship Columbus sailed in</p> <p>42—Relative pronoun</p> <p>43—Fiber of a tropical American plant</p> <p>45—A laborer on a Mexican estate</p> <p>46—Ago (poet.)</p> <p>48—Sorrow or suffering (poet.)</p> <p>50—A weight (abbr.)</p> <p>52—A stay-rope</p> <p>54—Middle (abbr.)</p> <p>55—Preposition</p> <p>56—Part of verb "to be"</p> <p>58—Member of a City Council (abbr.)</p> <p>60—To exist</p> <p>61—A country of S. E. Asia</p> <p>62—An implement for separating grain by beating</p> <p>64—Exclamation of regret</p> <p>66—Possessive pronoun</p> <p>67—A military title</p> <p>69—Man's name</p> <p>70—To summon and gather together</p> <p>71—A province in east Canada</p> | <p><b>VERTICAL</b></p> <p>1—To shut out</p> <p>2—To conform</p> <p>3—Front</p> <p>4—Suffix used as an adjective termination</p> <p>5—Man's name (familiar)</p> <p>6—Toll</p> <p>7—A container</p> <p>8—Like</p> <p>9—An excursion by any means of conveyance</p> <p>10—A city of east-central New York</p> <p>11—Fixed in opinion</p> <p>14—Uncooked</p> <p>15—To persecute</p> <p>16—To allure</p> <p>17—A small bed</p> <p>23—Girl's name (familiar)</p> <p>25—Standing at the beginning</p> <p>26—A step, a dance</p> <p>27—Despotism</p> <p>28—Liberty</p> <p>29—A color</p> <p>31—A city of Ontario, Canada</p> <p>32—A city in Punjab province, India</p> <p>34—Reduce in value</p> <p>36—A receptacle</p> <p>37—A vessel for holding liquids</p> <p>39—Intersection</p> <p>44—Farm product</p> <p>45—Seed-case</p> <p>47—Possessive pronoun</p> <p>49—Cover of a receptacle</p> <p>51—A large group of South African tribes</p> <p>53—To utter heedlessly</p> <p>55—To vex</p> <p>57—A lump</p> <p>58—A high mountain</p> <p>59—Prefix meaning "through"</p> <p>60—To tell tales</p> <p>61—Purpose</p> <p>62—At a distance</p> <p>63—Liquid (abbr.)</p> <p>65—A cavity or receptacle</p> <p>67—A degree (abbr.)</p> <p>68—Name unknown (abbr.)</p> |
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## THE WEEK'S MARKETS

### TORONTO

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$1.76; No. 2 North, \$1.71; No. 3 North, \$1.67 1/2; No. 4 wheat, \$1.57 1/2.

Man. oats—No. 2 CW, 59 1/2; No. 3 CW, 58 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 56 1/2; No. 1 feed, 55 1/2; No. 2 feed, 49 1/2.

All the above c.i.f. bay ports.

American corn, track, Toronto—No. 3 yellow, \$1.36.

Milled—Del., Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$28; shorts, per ton, \$30; middlings, \$36; good feed flour, per bag, \$2.50.

Ont. wheat—No. 2 white, 40 to 43c.

Ont. wheat—No. 3 winter, \$1.35 to \$1.40; No. 3 winter, not quoted; No. 1 commercial, nominal, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.

Barley—Malt, 72 to 77c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.

Rye—No. 2, \$1 to \$1.04.

Man. flour, first pat., \$9.80, Toronto; second pat., \$9.30, Toronto.

Ont. flour—90 per cent. pat., \$6.75, in bags, Montreal or Toronto; do, bulk, seaboard, \$6.80.

Straw—Carlots, per ton, \$8.

Screenings—Standard, re-cleaned, f.o.b. bay ports, per ton, \$28.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, \$11 to \$12; No. 3, per ton, \$9 to \$10.50; mixed, per ton, \$8 to \$10.

Cheese—New large, 24 1/2 to 25c; twins, 25 to 25 1/2c; triplets, 25 1/2 to 26c; Stiltons, 26c. Old, large, 25 to 26c; twins, 26 to 27c; triplets, 25 to 28c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 36 to 37c; No. 1 creamery, 35 to 36c; No. 2, 34 to 35c. Dairy prints, 28 to 29c.

Eggs—Fresh extra, in cartons, 38 to 39c; loose, 36 to 37c; fresh firsts, 34 to 35c; splits, 31c.

Live poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over M.F., 24c; do, corn fed, 22c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 22c.

Dressed poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, M.F., 35c; do, corn fed, 32c; roosters, 20c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 27c; turkeys, 35c.

Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 6 1/2c; primes, 6c.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 13 1/2c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 13 1/2c; 5-lb. tins, 14c; 2 1/2-lb. tins, 15 1/2c to 16c.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.40; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.30 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26c.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 29 to

81c; cooked hams, 44 to 45c; smoked rolls, 20 to 21c; cottage rolls, 22 to 24c; breakfast bacon, 26 to 28c; special brand breakfast bacon, 32 to 34c; backs, boneless, 34 to 39c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$17.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$16.80; 90 lbs. and up, \$15.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$44; heavyweight rolls, \$40 per bbl.

Lard—Pure tierces, 19 to 19 1/2c; tubs, 19 1/2 to 20c; pails, 20 to 20 1/2c; prints, 22 to 22 1/2c; shortening tierces, 14 1/2 to 15c; tubs, 15 to 15 1/2c; pails, 15 1/2 to 16c; prints, 16 1/2 to 17c.

Choice heavy steers, \$7.75 to \$8.50; do, good, \$7 to \$7.50; butcher steers, choice, \$7 to \$7.75; do, good, \$6.50 to \$7; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.25; butcher heifers, choice, \$7.75 to \$8.50; do, med., \$6.50 to \$7; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.25; butcher cows, choice, \$5 to \$5.50; do, fair to good, \$3.50 to \$4.50; canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$2.75; butcher bulls, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$3.75 to \$4; bologna, \$2.50 to \$3.50; feeding steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4.75 to \$5.50; stockers, good, \$5 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$4.50 to \$4.75; calves, choice, \$11 to \$12; do, med., \$7 to \$8; do, grassers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; milch cows, choice, \$7 to \$8; fair cows, \$4.50 to \$5; springers, choice, \$7 to \$9; good light sheep, \$8 to \$9; heifers and bucks, \$4.50 to \$6.25; good ewe lambs, \$14.50 to \$16; do, med., \$10 to \$12; do, culls, \$8 to \$9; hogs, thick smooths, fed and watered, \$13.60; do, f.o.b., \$13; do, country points, \$12.75; do, dry cars, \$14; select premiums, \$2.57.

### MONTREAL

Oats—Can. west, No. 2, 67c; No. 3, 59c; extra No. 1 feed, 56c; No. 2 local white, 52c. Flour—Man. spring wheat, firsts, \$9.80; seconds, \$9.30; strong bakers', \$9.10; winter patents, choice, \$8.50; Bran, \$28.25.

Shorts, \$30.25. Middlings, \$36.25. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$14 to \$15.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 34 to 34 1/2c; No. 1 creamery, 33 to 33 1/2c; seconds, 32 to 32 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh extras, 39c; fresh firsts, 38c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 70 to 75c.

Cows, good fat dairy type, \$6 and up; do, med. fat, \$4 and \$4.75; calves, heavy, \$10; do, com. and med. \$7, \$7.50 and \$8; very com. ones, \$6; hogs, select, \$14.25; mixed, \$13.75.

## Britons Advised to Amend Food Habits

A despatch from London says:—The food habits of the people of Great Britain have been growing steadily worse for the last 150 years and consequently undermining the beauty and physical fitness of the race, according to Lieutenant-Colonel Robert McCarrison, of the Indian Medical Service. His contention is that people here do not get the necessary amount of vitamins in their food and without vitamins the normal chemical action of the body cannot properly proceed. He advocates the eating of wholemeal, green vegetables and fruit and the drinking of milk.

## Nova Scotia Woman Passes Away at 107 Years

A despatch from Sydney Mines, N. S., says:—Mrs. Catherine Tutty died at the home of her grandson, Angus D. Keigan, here, death coming one day in advance of her one hundred and seventh birthday.

Mrs. Tutty, who was born on St. Patrick's Day, 1818, is survived by two daughters, 43 grandchildren, 88 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

## Canada from Coast to Coast

Charlottetown, P.E.I.—Over one million dozen of eggs, valued at \$753,971, were handled by the Prince Edward Island Egg and Poultry Association during the year 1924. The total included 926,887 dozen "Extras" and 164,072 dozen No. 1's and 2's. While the 1923 price was a fraction of a cent higher, the yield for 1924 was about 300,000 dozen greater and brought about \$69,000 more than that of the previous year.

Halifax, N.S.—Apple shipments from Canada since the beginning of the season to March 5, 1925, amounted to 1,107,739 barrels, 2,791 half barrels and 492,981 boxes, according to a report of the fruit branch of the Federal Dept. of Agriculture. These shipments compare favorably with the corresponding period in 1923-24, when exports were 1,271,302 barrels, 1,171 half barrels and 565,631 boxes.

Quebec, Que.—Mineral production in the Province of Quebec during 1924 amounted in value to \$13,429,872, a decrease of nearly three millions from 1923 but a slight increase over 1922, according to a report issued by the Provincial Dept. of Mines. Copper, zinc and lead ores, with the accompanying gold and silver showed a marked revival during the past year.

Montreal, Que.—It is expected that about seventy-five thousand automobile licenses and plates will be issued during the next few weeks by the Provincial Government. Nineteen different plates will be used this year to designate the different types of automobiles in the province.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.—Operations have commenced at the mill of the Algoma Steel Corporation plant, and will run on double turn, orders to last between four and five months being now on hand and further orders in prospect. This means that practically the whole plant is running, all the

## 20,000 HOMELESS WHEN FIRE SWEEPS TOKIO

Northeastern Section of Japanese Capital Falls Prey to Flames.

A despatch from Tokio says:—Twenty thousand persons were rendered homeless when a major conflagration swept Northeastern Tokio, destroying 3,000 buildings and resulting in unestimated casualties. The fire was brought under control Wednesday night.

The fire started in a factory at Nappori Junction, in Northeastern Tokio, and Wednesday night was sweeping in a southwesterly direction toward Ueno, largest of the metropolitan parks, and site of the famous Imperial Museum and Zoological Gardens.

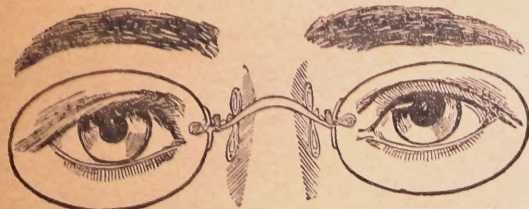
Troops are on the scene tearing down houses in an effort to prevent a further spread of the blaze, while thousands of residents laden with household effects are streaming toward safety.

Firemen were helpless in their attempts to check the conflagrant outburst because of the drought that had exhausted the reservoirs.



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of Bracebridge, who gave History talk to Stirling Masonic Lodge last week.

### Wedding Bells

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On Monday, March 4th, a very pretty wedding was solemnized at Smiths Falls by Rev. Mr. Brown, when Miss Bessie Miskelly only daughter of the late Alex. Miskelly became the bride of David Luther Hollinger, of Fuller. The bride was becomingly dressed in peacock blue satin-faced crepe. Her travelling suit was navy tricot with picture hat of navy and grey with muskrat coat. They spent the week with friends in Smiths Falls and Merrickville. The bride was the recipient of many varied and useful presents. Previous to the wedding a shower was given in honor of the bride at Mrs. J. McFadden's, Smiths Falls. Before leaving for Smiths Falls for her wedding, friends of the bride in Thomasburg presented her with a miscellaneous shower and an address that indicated plainly the sincerity of their friendship and the genuine regret at her departure from their neighborhood.

On Feb. 15th, the Methodist Sunday School of Thomasburg presented her with a beautiful Bible. And an ad.

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dress which spoke in terms of high appreciation of the bride's work as secretary and teacher in the Sunday School.

On Saturday evening, Mar. 14th the members of the lodge met and presented Mr. and Mrs. David Hollinger with a beautiful oak chair accompanied by the following address.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Hollinger, Dear Friends:

We are gathered here to-night to show our pleasure at seeing a new home established and to wish you as young people all possible happiness and success.

Longfellow says: "Oh fortunate oh happy day When a new household finds its place Among the myriad homes of earth! Like a new star just springing to birth And rolling on its harmonious way, Into the boundless realms of space".

We wish to congratulate you both on the happy start you are making in life and we look forward to having you as neighbors and friends for a long time to come.

As a token of happy occasion please accept this chair from the L. O. B. A. lodge.

We pray that God's choicest blessings may rest upon you both and that you may be abundantly prospered in the years to come.

After the presentation of the chair Mr. Hollinger made a suitable reply and thanked the friends very kindly. A number of speeches were made, also singing after which a dainty lunch was served by the ladies.

### Burnbrae News

The "Busy Bees" Y. W. A., are holding their entertainment in the basement of the church on Friday evening, March 27th. Refreshments, pie and cake will be served.

Rev. A. Rennie of Calgary was visiting his relatives a few days this week. The Ladies Aid meets at Mrs. W. S. Milne's next Thursday, April 2. Their travelling basket is making its call at every house.

Mrs. A. T. Donald and Mrs. John Thompson attended the funeral of Miss Esther Thompson of Dunbarton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tufford motored down from Beamsville to her father's Mr. John Oddie, to spend a few days.

### Ivanhoe

Beulah W. M. S. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Baldwin Reid, on Tuesday, 17th. Two quilts were quilted after which the regular Missionary program was given. The next meeting will be the annual election of officers and will be held at the church.

Sorry to report our pastor Rev. E. M. Cook on the sick list suffering from severe cold. We all hope for speedy recovery.

One of our most esteemed young men Mr. Chas. Martin was married on Wed. 18 to Miss Lilly Reid of Crookston. We wish them many happy years of wedded life and welcome them to our community life. Charlie has resided among us all his life and is highly respected by all.

### Judicial Sale

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order for Sale made by the Supreme Court of Ontario in the action of McCoy vs. Heath and bearing date respectively the 23rd day of June, 1924, and the 9th day of February 1925, there will be sold by public auction, with the approbation of the Local Master at Belleville, at his Chambers in the Court House in the City of Belleville on Monday the 30th day of March next, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable farm property:

The East half of Lot Number 8 in the Third Concession of the Township of Rawdon in the County of Hastings containing 100 acres more or less.

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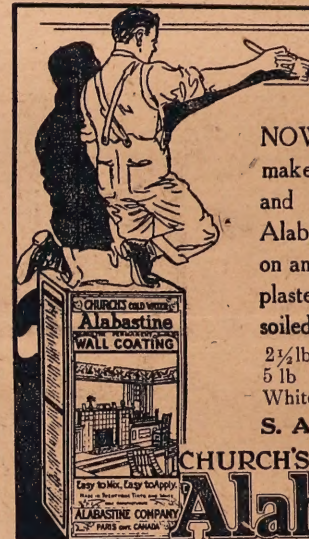
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